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COLONEL WANTS A SQUARE DEAL

For Big Corporations Outside Pale of Law.

ROOSEVELT PENS A CAUSTIC EDITORIAL

Says Anti-Trust Law Can't Meet Situation.

Ex-President Urges Complete Governmental Supervision Over Corporations in Interstate Commerce, Saying He Was Not Misled by the Steel Trust in Merger of Tennessee Iron & Steel Company.

New York, Nov. 16.—Urging complete governmental supervisions over corporations engaged in interstate commerce, declaring he was not misled in permitting the steel corporation to absorb the Tennessee Coal & Iron company, severely attacking the United States circuit court of appeals for permitting the Tobacco trust to reorganize under the plans proposed, and criticizing Attorney General Wickersham for his stand, Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, in a copyrighted editorial in the current issue of a New York magazine today demands a "square deal" for big business corporations which remain upon the pale of the law.

Roosevelt's editorial is one of the most caustic he has yet penned, declaring that neither the anti-trust act nor any modification of it, can meet the situation that confronts the government.

In part, Colonel Roosevelt writes:

"The suit against the Steel trust by the government has brought vividly before the people the need of reducing to order our chaotic government policy as regards business. As president, in messages to congress, I repeatedly called the attention of that body and of the public to the inadequacy of the anti-trust law by itself to meet business conditions and secure justice to the people and to the former fact that it might if left unsupplemented by additional legislation, work mischief, with no compensating advantage and I urged as strongly as I knew how that the policy followed with relation to railways in connection with the Interstate Commerce law should be followed by the national government as regards all business concerns."

Quotes Garfield.

"Colonel Roosevelt declares that he went over the full trust situation with Secretary of the Interior James R. Garfield, and quotes from a letter written to him by Garfield relative to the Steel trust suit, in which Garfield said:

"Nothing appeared before the house committee that made me believe we were deceived by Judge [illegible] The position now taken by the government is absolutely destructive to legitimate business, because they outline no rule of conduct for business of any magnitude."

Roosevelt then lines up flatly against Attorney General Wickersham and the law officers of the present administration, by declaring "I was not deceived in permitting the Tennessee Coal & Iron merger, which is one of the grounds on which Wickersham has asked the dissolution of the United States Steel corporation.

"One of the grounds for the suit," says Roosevelt, "alleged on the authority of the government officials engaged in carrying on the suit, is as regards this transaction I was misled by representatives of the Steel corporation, and that the facts were not accurately and truthfully laid before me. This statement is [illegible] error. I was not misled. The representatives of the Steel corporation told me the truth. Figures show that the acquisition of the Tennessee Coal & Iron company did [illegible] the slightest degree change the situation, and that during the ten years which include the acquisition of these properties by the Steel corporation the percentage of total output of steel manufacturers by the Steel corporation has shrunk from nearly sixty-six per cent. to a little over fifty-four per cent.

Law is Inadquate.

"It is evident that the anti-trust law is not adequate to meet the situation that has grown up because of the vast business and the accompanying [illegible] increase in the business of vast quantities of corporation [illegible] is really necessary thing to do is to get the persons in control of [illegible] of the character of the Standard Oil trust and the Tobacco trust so that they are under [illegible] as it was necessary to [illegible] the Sugar trust caught the [illegible] son in drastic fashion by Mr. [illegible] Stimson when he was United States district attorney in the New York. But an attempt [illegible] the whole problem not by administrative governmental action, but by a succession of law suits is hopeless from the standpoint of working out a permanently satisfactory solution. Moreover, the results sought to be achieved are achieved only extremely insufficient and fragmentary measure by breaking up all big corporations which it is perfectly certain will be largely and perhaps altogether, under the same control. Such action is harsh and mischievous if the corporation is guilty of nothing except its size; and where, as in the case of the Standard Oil, and especially the Tobacco trusts, the corporation has been guilty of immoral and anti-social practices, there is need for far more drastic and thoroughgoing action than any that has been taken, under the recent decree of the supreme court.

Miscarriage in Justice.

"In the case of the Tobacco trust, for instance, the sentiment in the circuit court, in which the representatives of the government seem inclined to concur practically leaves all the companies still substantially under the control of the twenty-nine original defendants. Such a result is lamentable from the standpoint of justice. The decision of the circuit court, if allowed to stand, means that the Tobacco trust has merely been obliged to change its clothes, that none of the real offenders have received any punishment, while, as the New York Times, a pro-trust paper, says, the Tobacco concerns, in their new clothes, are in possession of 'ease and luxury,' and 'immune from prosecution under the law.'

"Surely, miscarriage of justice is not too strong a term to apply to such a result when considered in connection with what the supreme court said of this trust. * * * A trust guilty of such conduct should be absolutely disbanded, and the only way to prevent the repetition of such conduct is by strict government supervision, and not merely by law suits.

"The anti-trust law can not meet

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BRYAN DECLARES FOSS GOOD MAN

Booms Governor as Presidential Possibility.

COMMONER SAYS HARMON IS LOSING

He Claims Ohioan's Strength Shifts to Underwood.

Let the Democrats from Now on Demand a Platform and Ticket in Harmony with the Progressive Sentiment of the Country, Declar Nebraskan in Commenting Upon Presidential Possibilities.

Lincoln, Neb., Nov. 16.—Praise of Governor Foss as a presidential possibility and criticism of Harmon and Underwood, features the first page of Bryan's editorial comment in today's issue of the Commoner. Of Foss, Bryan says:

"The reelection of Governor Foss, in Massachusetts, on a radical platform, advances his stock in the presidential market. He was elected a year ago and is now reelected on a platform that leaves no doubt as to his positive and aggressive stand for remedial legislation. If you are a progressive Democrat, read the Massachusetts platform and the election returns and then ask yourself, 'What's the matter with Foss?'

"The Commoner is not attempting to express an opinion as to the relative availability of the various progressives who are being discussed, but I take pleasure in calling attention to the fact that Governor Foss is not only one of the men to be considered, but to the further fact that his claims upon the party have been materially strengthened by the endorsement just given him by the voters of Massachusetts."

Harmon Losing.

Concerning Harmon, Bryan declares the Ohio governor's strength is shifting to Underwood. As to the latter, Bryan says.

"His nomination would, however, be unfortunate for the South, for his defeat would be wrongfully charged to his location instead of being charged, as it should be, to the fact that he is not in harmony with the progressive spirit of the day.

"If the South wants the candidate—and there is no reason why that section should not have him—it should elect some one who will appeal to the progressive element in all parties.

"Let the Democrats from now on demand a platform and ticket in harmony with the progressive sentiment of the country."

And There's No Clue.

Cleveland, Nov. 16.—While Bedford villagers slept early today, robbers escaped with $500 in cash and [illegible] There is no clue.

TROOPS HELD IN READINESS

They Will Go to China When Government Calls.

WU APPEALS TO WORLD POWERS

Asks They Recognize China's New Republic.

Chinese People Have Struck a Blow for Freedom and Out of the Dust of a Fallen Throne We Will Have a Democracy of 400,000,000 People. Says Wu in Plea to United States and Other Powers.

Washington, Nov. 16.—Orders for the dispatch of a regiment of United States soldiers to China from Manila were awaited today by the officials of the war department, who were given notice late yesterday by the state department that men would be needed.

Army officers said that the move could be expected in quick order. Preparations have been proceeding quietly for more than two weeks for *exactly this purpose. It was decided* today at the war department that no Filipino troops will be sent to China, even if thousands of soldiers instead of one regiment, are needed. It is feared the presence of the Filipinos would arouse the hostility of the Chinese.

Even though the avowed purpose of sending troops to China is protecting the Peking-Tien Tsin railroad in cooperation with soldiers of other powers there, are already ominous rumors that the American regiment will not be welcomed. Suspicion of the motive of this government has been aroused, according to reports reaching Washington, not only in the minds of the Chinese but among other foreigners.

Republican Leaders Delighted.

Shanghai, Nov. 16.—Republican leaders are delighted over the plea of Wu Ting Fang, former minister to the United States, that the world powers recognize the newly-organized republic. They believe that Wu's international reputation as a statesman will give great weight to his words, and that the response will be what they most desire. In his appeal, Wu declared the Chinese people were not untried in self-government, and that they were fully able to maintain a republic.

"Now the Chinese people have struck a blow for freedom," he declares, "and out of the dust of a fallen throne he will have a democracy of 400,000,000 people. No royal family will follow in the wake of the departing Manchu house."

Wu declared that it was necessary for the powers to recognize the republic so that business would not be interrupted.

"We ask recognition for the republic," he added, "because the republic is a fact."

Navy Surrenders.

Tokyo, Nov. 16.—According to official messages received by the Japanese admiralty today, the entire Chinese navy has surrendered to the revolutionists and the imperial government is now without a war vessel worthy of the name.

The naval surrender is regarded as the greatest blow that has been struck the Manchu dynasty, as it will place in the hands of the revolutionists power to sweep the great rivers of China, and to transport troops along the waterway without danger.

The revolutionary governor of Chin Kiang last night tendered a formal banquet to the 150 officers of the fleet who surrendered and who swore allegiance to the newly-formed republic.

A TAX PROPOSED ON CATS AND BACHELORS

Out in Wyoming the Two Are in for Unpleasant Things.

Cincinnati, Nov. 16.—Cats and bachelors are in for unpleasant things out in Wyoming.

They're to be taxed—the cat surely, the wifeless man may be, it is because the village treasury is showing bottom. The night police force has lost his job and the fire chief's pay has been cut. Still the ends didn't meet.

In desperation, Village Solicitor Stanley Roettinger announced Wednesday that he would introduce in council an ordinance providing a one-dollar tax on each cat.

Owners of cats say, if the ordinance passes, they will force a tax on bachelors.

Works Against Her.

Cleveland, Nov. 16.—After Mrs. Gertrude Ryan admitted she "kept a good strong woman in her home to beat her husband when he needed it," Judge Vickery decided she wasn't entitled to alimony.

PRELATES LEAVING FOR ROME, WHERE THEY WILL BE MADE CARDINALS

THE STREETS WERE LINED WITH CHILDREN, CHEERING AND WAVING FLAGS.
THE MOST REVEREND JOHN M FARLEY LEAVING THE CATHEDRAL
THE ROSEDALE CARRYING ARCHBISHOP FARLEY TO THE HOBOKEN PIER.
LEFT, MOST REV DIOMEDE FALCONIO, RIGHT, MOST REV JOHN M FARLEY.

A remarkable demonstration attended the departure from New York of Archbishops Farley and Falconio for Rome, where the two prelates are to be made Cardinals by Pope Pius X. More than 100,000 men, women and children shared in the farewell and prayed for the safe return of the prelates.

TECHNICALITY AIDS PACKERS

Brand New Legal Entanglement Arises.

SHALL PACKERS GET POOR MAN'S JUSTICE?

Uncle Sam Tries To Fasten Justice Equally.

Only Supreme Court of United States Can Settle Question Raised by the Beef Men's Lawyers in Chicago. The Government's "Trust Busters" Raise Point That Stump Packers' Legal Lights Today.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—Federal Circuit Judge C. C. Kohlsaat was today called upon by the United States government to reverse himself in one of the boldest petitions ever filed in the local branch of the judiciary.

United States District Attorney James H. Wilkerson demanded that the writ of habeas corpus, which the jurist granted to the nine packers Tuesday, be quashed on the ground that the defendants in attempting to set up one more legal obstacle to the culmination of nearly nine years of *effort on the part of the department* of justice—to bring them to trial for criminal conspiracy under the Sherman law—had not complied with the regular form of procedure.

In his formal motion, Wilkerson, in thinly veiled language, hinted that Kohlsaat did not know what he was about when he acceded to the packers' request.

"This writ," the district attorney's petition said, "was issued improvidently, in ignorance of the essential facts bearing upon the propriety of entertaining said petition."

Ask More Time.

Continuing, Wilkerson alleged that the petition for a habeas corpus writ was demanded merely to delay the trial, and that the "re-arrest" of the defendants was pretended. He related how the nine packers gave themselves up to the marshal and concluded by asserting that the question of law at issue—the constitutionality of the Sherman law's penal section, had already twice been passed upon in the present case.

Affidavits showing that the defendants had surrendered to the marshal, and not in open court, as the practice requires, were attacked.

When the defense attorneys sought to gain still further time in the present hearing, in order, they said, to prepare affidavits supporting their side of this question, Judge Kohlsaat, on request of the prosecution, refused a continuance and directed that arguments on the writ of habeas corpus continue.

Chicago, Nov. 16. About $50,000,000 worth of beef packing house magnates waited with apprehensive mein today when Uncle Sam's prosecutor strove to fasten the poor man's *justice on them and make them stand* immediate trial for criminal conspiracy in restrain of trade.

A brand new legal entanglement was awaiting decision today by circuit Judge C. C. Kohlsaat—the last desperate technicality raised by the beef barons to gain time in the fight against possible jail terms. Judge Kohlsaat has already held that he can review the decision of a district judge in his own circuit—a new precedent in the law.

Today, the question upon which Judge Kohlsaat ruled was as to the constitutionality of the penal provision of the Sherman anti-trust law. In the writ of habeas corpus, counsel for the packing house magnates separate the question of fact—that is, whether there is evidence of a conspiracy to monopolize trade in meat and packing house products generally—from the question of law—that is, whether the penal section of the Sherman act to regulate commerce is valid and constitutionally drawn. The defendants claim the law is defective in that it does not set up any standard by which violation may be measured; that it is indefinite.

Court Can Settle It.

Only the supreme court of the United States can settle the question with finality. But adjudication of the issue in the highest court will take at least a year. Therefore, the government prosecutors today went into court hoping against hope that they would be able to forestall an appeal to that tribunal till after actual trial on the question of fact and law—set for Monday—has been begun. In this way, the appeal would go to the highest court in connection with the appeal in the case proper.

Senator Kenyon, of Iowa, former "trust buster" for the administration and at one time Attorney General Wickersham's chief instigator in the packing prosecution, left his place in the committee room of the Lorimer investigating committee, to sit with District Attorney James H. Wilkerson and Special Attorney James Sheehan, of the government's counsel and lend his aid in the fight.

Immediately after Judge Kohlsaat called the packers' case, Attorney James Sheean, special prosecutor for the government, moved that the writ of habeas corpus be quashed on the

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TO APPLY LAW TO THE RICH AS WELL AS POOR

The most far-reaching and important question in criminal jurisprudence today and one in which the American people are manifesting the deepest interest is—not whether offenders of great wealth can be convicted, but whether it is possible to bring them to trial in the same way and according to the same principles as in the case of the ordinary lawbreaker"—United States District Attorney Wilkerson, discussing the packers' case.

SHERMAN LAW IN FOR CHANGE

Amendments Are Advocated by Legislators

OTHERS WILL FIGHT AGAINST CHANGES

Henry, of Texas, in Early with a Measure.

Southern Representative Has Bill To Present to Next Session of Congress That Eliminates "Rule of Reason" Read into Anti-Trust Law by Supreme Court—Taft Will Also Take Matter Up.

Washington, Nov. 16.—A big fight for and against amending the Sherman anti-trust law at this session of congress, was forecasted today by the completion of the bill of Representative Henry, Democrat, of Texas, which will be introduced early in the session.

The Henry measure eliminates the "rule of reason" read into the law by the Standard Oil and Tobacco trust decisions of the supreme court and outlines definitely what shall be considered a trust and combination in restraint of trade under the law.

"It has become quite apparent," Henry said, today, "that something must be done to settle this trust question effectively. The present law leaves too much to the discretion of the court. I am certain that my bill will have the support of practically all the Democrats and will pass the house without trouble."

Stanley in Fight.

But in the house there are several other members who have ideas on the subject. Martin W. Littleton, of New York, whose speech in Pittsburgh drew a heated reply from President Taft three weeks ago, undoubtedly will introduce a bill demanding the repeal of the Sherman law and the substitution of a scheme of federal incorporation.

The activities of the Stanley steel trust committee, which will begin work next week, will be turned toward the anti-trust law, and Stanley himself may evolve some interesting data to incorporate in a bill.

One of the principal features of the Henry bill is its provision of prison sentences for trust officials. It makes the formation or maintenance of a trust a felony with jail sentences of from two to ten years for the offender.

President Taft will certainly take a hand in the anti-trust situation. His message will contain a recommendation of supplemental legislation, defining the law more clearly and for a federal incorporation scheme to give the government close control over the component parts of big trusts after they have been dissolved.

TRIAL MUST MOVE FASTER

Court Tires of Dilatory Tactics of Lawyers.

M'NAMARA CASE TO GET NIGHT SESSIONS

Defense Stirred by Latest Action of General Otis.

Veteran Editor Dedicates Monument to Victims of Times Disaster and Attorney Darrow Grasps Opportunity To Bring Matter Before the Court in Order To Disqualify Jurors Who Read Times Article.

Los Angeles, Calif., Nov. 16.—Angered because of the severe criticism by Judge Albert G. Burnett, of the California appellate court, who, in an address to the State Bar association, characterized the delay in getting a McNamara jury as a crime, Judge Bordwell made it very plain to both sides today that the dilatory tactics must end. He will permit no further lengthy arguments on points of law, but will compel attorneys to submit briefs and authorities, and, if arguments are necessary at all, will hear them outside the regular court hours.

Bordwell is also considering the advisability of holding night sessions in order to expedite the trial.

The growing demand that both sides be compelled to keep their attention fixed on the business of the court has impressed Bordwell, and hereafter it is likely attorneys will be suppressed when they attempt to argue against decisions. It is even possible that some may be punished for contempt before the trial is over.

While Judge Bordwell refused positively to be quoted as to his intentions, his closest associates assert that he is convinced that the long-drawn-out methods adopted by both sides are wrong, but that it is impossible for him to limit the examination of veniremen as long as the law permits extreme latitude along this line.

General Otis' action yesterday afternoon in dedicating a monument to the victims of the Times disaster, has complicated the situation. Attorney Darrow appeared in court today with a copy of the Times containing a picture of the monument on which is inscribed in big letters:

"Our Martyred Men and Murdered Victims of a Dynamite Fire, the Crime of the Century."

Die for a Cause.

It also contained Rev. Robert J. Burdette's latest remarks, in which he declared the victims "died for a cause," and that "the crime was committed by the red hand of anarchy;" also that the victims lost their lives in the "cause of industrial freedom."

Burdette's appeal to God to "mete out His judgment and His justice," was also interlined in the papers Darrow carried, and he openly declared that he would hereafter ask the men who say they are readers of the Times whether they read this in today's papers. He will argue that if they did they are disqualified from serving as jurors in this case.

In order to hurry the trial along, Judge Bordwell opened the session today an hour earlier. Darrow immediately proceeded to try to disqualify J. A. Ross, a Pasadena painter. Ross admitted he is a lifelong opponent of unionism and that he believed the McNamaras guilty after reading of their arrest because he personally had been kept from working at his trade as a painter because he did not have a union card. However, Deputy District Attorney Horton planned to hold Ross, by getting him to admit he could and would, if sworn as a juror, lay aside all prejudices and try McNamara solely on the law and evidence.

May Fill the Box.

Darrow, as a result, proceeded carefully to disqualify Ross under the law, as previous experience had shown that the court considered *jurors who admitted a prejudice* were fully competent when they asserted they would lay aside those prejudices.

If Ross is finally seated by the court, this will fill the box and then the exercising of peremptory challenges will be resumed. The state is disappointed because the court refused to permit it to reopen examination of Willett Brunner, a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, who was passed for cause Monday. Brunner told Fredricks frankly that he opposed circumstantial evidence as a concrete proposition, but the latter had a report from detectives that he owned several houses and he was inclined to oppose labor unions, and Fredricks personally qualified him in a series of adroitly-framed questions.

Later, Fredricks discovered that Brunner holds the strongest union views and a former chief engineer of

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PUT ONE OVER ON UNCLE SAM

Beef Barons' Lawyers Execute a Big Coup

NINE YEARS' WORK ENDS IN A FARCE

Federal Government's Machinery Clogged Up

Actual Trial of Packers Scheduled To Begin Next Monday but by Attorneys' Act and Judge's Granting of Habeas Corpus Writ the Beef Men May Now Escape for Another Year or More.

Chicago Nov 17—Just when it appeared that the wheels of justice were to receive a grist that for nearly nine years has avoided contact with the millstones, justice, personified in Judge C C Kohlsaat, of the United States circuit court, poured sand in the machinery, stopped grinding of the grist—meaning the ten packing house magnates under indictment for criminal conspiracy to restrain trade—leaving the United States government today apparently powerless to force the mill in progress save through another long re construction of legal machinery The climax of 100 months of perfectly legal evasion of the law was reached yesterday. Counsel for the beef barons called up Judge Kohlsaat by telephone, made an appointment in his court-room for late that afternoon brought nine of the ten magnates before the bar of justice withdrew their bail of $30 000 apiece sued out a writ of habeas corpus to free them from confinement' Judge Kohlsaat granted it forthwith and set tomorrow for a hearing on the question of constitutionality of the jail sentence provision of the Sherman law—all this without notice to the prosecution and over them *frantic protest*

The actual trial of the packing house coterie charged with offenses punishable by a year in jail was to have been begun next Monday To day, department of justice officials here admitted that as a final crowning achievement in the campaign of delay pursued by the trust lawyers one year might elapse before the defendants could actually be made to face the testimony which has been growing since July 1 190

See Big Coup

Lawyers here today viewed the proceedings as the biggest coup yet executed With a special venire of jurymen already called with the government's counsel here today to proceed with the long prosecution with the packers apparently at least ready to face a jury on the conspiracy charge Judge Kohlsaat's action has separated the question of fact from that of the law and no matter what Judge Kohlsaat's ruling may be that question of law will go to the supreme court of the United States the question of fact—which is the actual trial of the Packingtown magnates—to await on the red tape of adjudication by the *supreme court of the* United States

The beef trust contends that the criminal section of the Sherman anti trust law is unconstitutional because of indefiniteness- because it does not lay down any test of criminality which the business man may discover and avoid The ruling which Judge Kohlsaat is expected to make tomorrow after which both sides admit may be a purely perfunctory hearing will carry this question direct to the supreme court of the United States Only after the highest court has ruled on this point can the government resume its long pursuit of the trust heads

Incidentally Judge Kohlsaat threw precedent to the winds by his action District Judge George A Carpenter before whom the packers were to have been placed on trail Monday last spring overruled application by the defendants to execute the same end according to United States District Attorney Wilkerson Kohlsaat therefore sets a new precedent by reviewing in effect a decision by a subordinate judge in his own circuit

Every Legal Artifice

Ever since July 1 190 counsel for the heads of the packing trust have *stayed off actual trial for con* spiracy in restraint of trade Three grand juries have variously indicted the companies or the individuals Every legal artifice of delay has been employed to impede the government's prosecution And so far no phase of the fight has entered the supreme court

The government had no tip on the latest surprise sprung by the elusive trust magnates Arraigned last June the ten pleaded not guilty and were apparently cornered at last In various interviews since that date the defendants have protested their innocence of the conspiracy charge and expressed a willingness to be tried on the evidence at hand When Attorney John S Miller counsel for the defendants arranged his coup over the telephone with Judge Kohlsaat he did not subsequently advise the government of what he contemplated District Attorney Wilkerson only learned of the plan when the trust magnates were brought into the court-room and Miller began argument on his motion to dismiss the indictments He protested against the action but was overruled

Nine of the ten indicted beef packers were concerned in the coup The tenth J Ogden Armour is en route to the United States from Europe and will follow the same procedure as his colleagues in indictment

MISS STOCKWELL AND DIO DIX ARE MARRIED

At the Home of the Brides Parents in Prospect

Prospect O Nov 17—[Special]—Miss Cecil Stockwell and Mr Dio Dix well known young society people of this place, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents Mr and Mrs E M Stockwell, of Water street Tuesday evening about 7 o'clock The ceremony was performed by Rev J J Halliday of Delaware in the presence of only the immediate relatives

After a fine wedding dinner the young people left on a short wedding trip to Columbus, and upon their return will reside for the present with the bride's parents

Mrs Dix has been employed in her father's dry goods store Mr Dix is a son of Dr and Mrs M M Dix of this place and is employed as ticket agent at the Pennsylvania railway office in Marion Both have a wide circle of friends

RAY L. JORDAN DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Loss of a Prominent Young Man Is Deeply Felt

IS VILLAGE CLERK NUMBER OF YEARS

Mr Jordan Is but Thirty-Three Years of Age at Time of His Death Bethlehem M. P Church Holds a Home-Coming Service — Some Richwood News Notes

Richwood O Nov 16—[Special]—Ray L Jordan clerk of Richwood corporation and one of the most widely known and most highly respected young men of northern Union county, passed away Sunday morning at the home of his grandmother Mrs C A Bigelow of South Franklin street Death was due to general tuberculosis of which he had suffered all his life He however was actively engaged in business until about the first of September If he lived until March he would have been thirty three years old He was a son of the late Mr and Mrs Lester Jordan and was a grandson of the late Daniel Bigelow He was one of three children his two sisters Maude and Irene Jordan dying several years ago The family always lived in Richwood The deceased served as village clerk for several years giving entire satisfaction to all He also served as substitute carrier in the rural free mail delivery out of Richwood He was a member of the local Masonic lodge Under whose auspices funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Bigelow residence The officiating minister was Rev L I Pedicord The remains were laid to rest in Claibourne cemetery

Mr and Mrs B M Reece of near Woodland were very pleasantly surprised Friday evening when about seventy five of their friends called at their home for the evening Almost all of the guests are members of the Findley M E church and the affair was planned in honor of the departure of Mr and Mrs Reece in the near future for their new home near Pharisburg The ladies had with them well filled baskets and a fine lunch was served to the large company after which the hours were spent with music and other diversions Aside from the guests from the Finley neighborhood were Rev Mr and Mrs J O Killen of Green Camp and Mr and Mrs Don Reece of near Pharisburg

Mrs J J Stallsmith and daughter Lena spent Friday with friends in Marion and were accompanied home by Miss Ethel Stallsmith who had spent several days in Marion

Miss Alma Allen has been the guest of her sister, Mrs Elmer Douce at Martel during the past few days

Miss Bertha Snider of Warren has returned home after a pleasant visit with her cousin Mrs Oliver Fletcher

J P Maloney visited at his home in Columbus from Saturday until Monday

Mrs H A Grant spent Sunday and Monday at her home in Delaware

Bethlehem M P church two miles south of Richwood held a delightful home coming service Sunday morning which in spite of the inclement weather was well attended Special music was rendered by the choir under the direction of David Neal of Richwood Old fashioned hymns were sung during the service much to the enjoyment of the older members present The scripture lesson and the welcome address were given by the pastor Rev C B Doty and the response was given by L L McAllister Talks were also given by members of the church Among those present from a distance who formerly attended Bethlehem church were Rev Mr and Mrs N J Kinney of Marysville Mrs Minnie Hildreth and Miss Wessie Baker of Lima Mr and Mrs L L McAllister of Byhalia and Mrs Oscar Bell of Magnetic Springs A similar service will be held some time next summer

Mr and Mrs George R Gumlue at Portsmouth where they will spend four weeks with their son in law and daughter Dr and Mrs W G Cheney

Carl Smith of LaRue and Owen Smith of Marion were the guests Sunday of their parents Mr and Mrs W P Smith

William Thornhill and little daughters Harriett Ellen and Margaret arrived here Sunday from Denver Colorado Mr Thornhill and family left Richwood several months ago for Colorado for the benefit of Mrs Thornhill's health She is at present taking treatment in a sanitorium in Denver and it is believed that her condition is improving After a brief visit with his parents Mr and Mrs P H Thornhill and his wife's parents Mr and Mrs C J Cox Mr Thornhill will return to Denver

Mr and Mrs S C Lizie have been the guests of the latter's sister Mrs Earl Cobb and family of Cleveland since Sunday

The ladies of the Baptist church are holding frequent afternoon meetings at which they are sewing for a bazar and market to be held December 16

Mrs A G Spring and little son have been in Marion during the past several days where the child is being treated for throat trouble by a specialist of that city

Mr and Mrs Thomas G Fletcher left Saturday for Cincinnati where they are visiting relatives Before returning home they will visit in Kentucky and Indiana

Miss Hannah Field of Marion spent a few days with Mr and Mrs Frank Holt north of Richwood during the past week

Mrs I B Davis and daughter Mrs Emery Taylor have been the guests of Mr and Mrs John Carr of Galion since Saturday

Mrs S I Davis has been the guest of her daughter Mrs Orpha Barber of Cincinnati during the past week

Miss Daisy Black spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents near Magnetic Springs

Rev I R Lloyd spent Monday in Radnor with Ira Gregory and family Mr Gregory was a former superintendent of the Radnor schools but is now in ill health

Mr and Mrs Walter W Bailey of LaRue were the guests Friday of Mr and Mrs David Carr

Rev Mr and Mrs N J Kinney daughter Ruth and son Don of Marysville spent a few days with Mr Kinney's sister Miss Jane Shisler during the past week

Mrs Oliver Fletcher and children and their guest Miss Bertha Snider of Warren visited from Saturday until Monday with Mr and Mrs I N Price of Stratford

Farmers of Salt Creek township four miles west of Richwood organized a branch grange Friday evening late Deputy U S Spencer of Niles was present to assist in the organization of the branch which has thirty one charter members There are now three granges in Union county one at Milford Center one at Claibourne and the Broadway branch

A fine new bath house will be built at Magnetic Springs this winter by the Park Hotel company Messrs Christopher Magee Jr and William M Galbreath of Pittsburgh The new building will occupy the site of the original bath house which was built over the old spring opened by Edward Newhouse in 1809 A Boosters club has been organized in the little village and a large sum of money will be spent in improvements and in booming the pretty little resort

Mr and Mrs Elmer Hamilton of Delaware have been the guests of the former's parents Mr and Mrs Al Hamilton during the past week

Mrs Lloyd Winter was hostess to the needle club Friday afternoon at her home on west Ottawa street The guest spent the hours very delightfully over their embroidery and during the afternoon the hostess served a delicious lunch Aside from the members of the club Mrs Winter entertained several guests Miss Alberta Hurd of Youngstown being the only guest from out of town

Miss Martha Geiger and Miss Ida Merritt of Marion were the guests Sunday of O E Ledley who is ill at his home on south Franklin street

Mr and Mrs Frank Graham spent a few days with Mr and Mrs I C Irwin of De Graff during the past week

Misses Gladys Tallman and Ethel Jolley spent Sunday as the guests of Mr and Mrs A B Sloop and Mr Roy Jolley of Columbus

Mrs Herbert Roush and children of Marion spent Saturday and Sunday with the former's parent Mr and Mrs W L Decker Mr Roush came down Sunday to accompany his family home

A son was born Sunday to Mr and Mrs Wilton Cheney of Mansfield Mr Cheney is a son of Mr and Mrs Asbury Cheney north of Richwood

Mr and Mrs William Haukinson moved this week to Sidney where the former is employed in bakery

Lincoln Coon a seven year old lad who makes his home with his grandparent Mr and Mrs Jason Coon west of Richwood had his right leg broken just above the knee Monday afternoon The little fellow had climbed on the back of a buggy and losing his balance fell in such a manner that his leg was thrust between the spokes of a wheel resulting in the broken bones

The Schuberts gave the first number of the lyceum lecture course in the opera house Tuesday evening giving a pleasing the audience

Walter Martin left Tuesday for St Louis and from that city he will be on to some point in Kansas to take charge of a plant owned by the American Zinc & Lead Smelting company Mr Martin has been employed for some time as a mechanical engineer in the large steel works at Columbus He was accompanied as far as Columbus Tuesday by his father F A Martin who spent Tuesday and Wednesday with relatives in Mt Vernon

Mrs Ida John on of Bellefontaine has been the guest of Mrs William Dial during the past week

Miss Donna M Herriman of Columbus visited from Saturday until Tuesday with her parents Mr and Mrs George Herriman

C M Fisher of Marion spent Saturday and Sunday with his parents Mr and Mrs I D Fisher

Miss Mary Haine of Bellefontaine has been the guest of her parents Mr and Mrs M W Hill during the past week

George B Handley of Cleveland has been visiting his sister and mother Mrs E E Whitehead and M E Handley during the past week

Ouster Suits End

Lima O Nov 15—Outer proceedings brought by the state of Ohio against the Standard Oil company subsidiaries have been dismissed by the circuit court It was announced that the decision of the United States supreme court in ordering the dissolution of Standard Oil had disposed of the case

Harmon Names Two

Columbus O Nov 17—Governor Harmon today appointed John H Clark, of Cleveland and Dohrman Perry Victory centennial commission to fill vacancies The centennial will be held at Put In Bay in 1913

PROPOSED CHANGES IN CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS

Following are features of the Ohio Congressional gerrymander bill as drafted by the subcommittee which consisted of Congressman Goeke State Oil Inspector Finley Senator T A Dean Representative W D Fulton and E H Moore state insurance commissioner

DEMOCRATIC			REPUBLICAN		
Dis	Majority	Population	Dis	Majority	Population
First		*230 366	Second		*230 366
Third	- 8[illegible]	234 0[illegible]	Sixth	4 [illegible]	185 [illegible]
Fourth	141	19[illegible]	Seventh	8 141	2[illegible]
Fifth	- 687	180 [illegible]	Ninth	- 607	1[illegible]
Eighth	74[illegible]	2[illegible]	Tenth	12 209	217 [illegible]
Eleventh	- 0[illegible]	19[illegible]	Twelfth	5 600	2[illegible]
Thirteenth	6	206 521	Fifteenth	659	204 1
Fourteenth	1 0[illegible]	217 86[illegible]	Sixteenth	6 869	[illegible]
Seventeenth	341	217 690	Eighteenth	5 [illegible]27	238 195
Twentieth		*22[illegible] 007	Nineteenth	8 591	2[illegible] 464
Twenty first		*22[illegible] 007	Twenty second		*2[illegible] 00

*Estimated

Majorities are figured on the basis of the Taft Brown vote in 1908 when Taft carried Ohio by about the normal Republican majority 61 991

Largest district in point of population is the Eighteenth district with - 8 [illegible] The smallest the Fifth with 180[illegible] The most of them run close to the average 216 687 By the present arrangement the districts run from 180 000 to 400 000

Under the new bill the Democrats would carry 18 of the 19 and possibly 20 districts on the basis of the vote of 1910 The districts are so arranged that a drift of sentiment either way will carry a majority of the congressmen

Individuals are not considered but political divisions and counties most easily accessible to each other are thrown together as far as practicable to get the population geographical lines and political more or

COMMISSION IS SHORN OF POWER

Usefulness of the Organization Is Impaired.

COMMERCE COURT HITS DEADLY BLOW

Interstate Commerce Commission Suffers

In Opinion of Officials of the Commission the Ruling of Court Yesterday in Railroad Rate Case Practically Nullifies Clause of Railroad Bill Giving Commission Power To Initiate Rate Investigations

Washington Nov 17—The Interstate Commerce commission today stood practically shorn of its power to control railroad rates by the opinion of the commerce court in the inter mountain cases

Men who for years have been intimately connected with the work of the commission today declared unqualifiedly that the decision strikes a blow that sadly impairs the usefulness of the organization They believe that it will precipitate another legislative struggle to supply the commission with power to act and will throw the entire interstate commerce law into the fire of amendments at the next session of congress

An official closely identified with the commission today declared that the decision means that the commission can not fix rates in blanket form but must confine its power to fixing tariffs in special cases

An attempt to fix all the rates in the country one at a time is obviously impossible

This is the deadliest blow ever struck at the commission and its power said an official who connected with the commission has been close to the present proceedings

The decision utterly destroys the work of fifteen years to bring the commission to a working basis of usefulness The effect can not yet be ascertained

The decision practically nullified the Cummins clause of the railroad bill of last winter which sought to give the commission the power to initiate rate investigations It also emasculated the long and short haul clause though nominally upholding it

The decision added another issue to the tangle of legislative material which confronts congress There undoubtedly will be widespread demand for amendments to the interstate commerce law giving the commission's power back again Insurgent Republicans in particular will press this point It is very likely that President Taft will find it necessary to embody some recommendations along that line in the message he is now preparing for congress

Meantime in legislative circles there is growing a strong sentiment against the commerce court as an institution It took fifteen years of legislative struggle to place the Interstate Commerce commission on what seemed to be a sound footing for the regulation of railroads and now that foundation has been pulled from beneath it The situation is certain to breed great disturbance in Washington this winter

GARBAGE STRIKE COMES TO END

Men Lose and City Wins in the New York Strife

New York Nov 17—With the garbage strike completely broken Street Cleaning Commissioner Big Bill Edwards today set upon the task of cleaning New York of its vast accumulation of garbage that has threatened the city with pestilence

The 2 [illegible]40 men who went out on strike have received formal notification that charges of insubordination have been filed against them with the civil service commission and that they must stand trial This is equivalent to dismissal Mayor Gaynor and Commissioner Edwards declare the men can not return to work for the city

It will take until next Wednesday working full time to remove the vast accumulation of garbage that now litters the streets of New York Commissioner Edwards is working [illegible]63 men and 2 349 wagon

The strike has cost the city in one week $1 0 000

DIEGLE'S LAWYER FILES BULKY BILL

Diegle Has Sixty Days in Which to File Printed Briefs

Columbus O Nov 17—Following the granting of permission yesterday by the supreme court for Rodney J Diegle senate sergeant at arms convicted of complicity in legislative bribery deals to file a petition in error Attorney Cook Matteson today filed a bulky bill of exceptions and transcript of the proceedings in the lower courts

Diegle now has sixty days in which to file printed briefs and the state ninety days in which to answer The grounds for reversal were the same as asked for in the motion for a new trial in common pleas and circuit courts

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DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR AT THE BLACK HOME

Mr and Mrs Ernest Black Are Given Surprise

Agosta O Nov 17—[Special]—A very pleasant surprise was given Mr and Mrs Ernest Black at the home of the former's parents Mr and Mrs D Black about five miles south of town Monday evening Those present were Mr Ila Bilger Nina Dutton Mae Young Verna Bilger Lillian Carey Edna Dutton and Messrs George Jenkins of Xenia Leon Bilger Rae Houk Richard Thomasson Frank Beckley Otis Black Paul Gracely Glen Gillespie Burt Moore Forest Black Refreshments were served

Mrs Hugh Culbertson and daughter Edna of Rochester New York is spending the week with Mr and Mrs I Culbertson

Miss Verna Johnston of south of town was the guest of her sister Mrs C B Hudson of Marion Friday and Saturday

Mrs Closton Johnston and son Elwin and Miss Alma Kramer of LaRue were entertained a dinner Wednesday by Miss Sarah Pitzer

Damon Jones of LaRue was in Thursday here a the guest of J B Fields

E D Horton and daughter Mrs C C Young attended the funeral services of I Harriman which were held at Essex Thursday

George Jenkins of Xenia is spending several days here with his sister Mrs I Culbertson

Mr and Mrs G W Fiker of Marion were the guests of Mr and Mrs Mayo Imbod Saturday and Sunday

Mrs P Pennell and daughter of Marion spent the week end here calling on relatives and friends

Mrs Jennie Crim returned home from Waldo Wednesday after spending several weeks with her daughter Mrs Leota Miller

Mrs William Carey left Friday for Marion for a few days visit with relatives

Mrs Nina Dutton was a Marion caller Saturday

When ironing a shirt or anything having a row of buttons fold a Turkish towel into several layers and lay the garment but not the on it Iron on the wrong side and will be smoother finished the buttons sinking into the soft folds of the towel

When carpets are not allowed they can be greatly freshened by washing with water in which a teaspoonful of ammonia has been added to a pail of water The [illegible] done after a thorough sweeping

To keep a glass stopper from sticking when it is not in use for a while rub the clean carefully with pure sweet oil It is best to do this after the stove is warm

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BLIND MAN SAVES LIFE AT RICHWOOD

Cyrus Tonguet Is Caught in Burning Dwelling

THREE HOUSES BURN IN VILLAGE SATURDAY

Is Partially Covered by Insurance—An Organ Recital Is Given in M E Church at Richwood Note of Some Interest Gathered During Few Days

Richwood O Nov 13—[Special] The village fire department was called out Saturday morning at 5 o'clock by a fire having broken out in the dwelling of Cyrus Tonguet on Richwood street It is not known how the blaze originated but is supposed to have started from an overheated stove or a defective flue Mr Tonguet was alone in the house and was sound asleep A crowd gathered and had not the door of Tonguet home been broken down and its occupant assisted to the street in all probability he would have perished to death He owes his life to William Tropp a blind man who lived in the adjoining house The blaze soon spread to the dwelling of Mrs Cordelia Tropp and Mr and Mrs Andrew Disbennett Tropp who is quite aged was confined to bed and was carried to the home of George Biddle farther down the street All three of the houses burned were small frame structures situated on round together with almost all of their contents The house occupied by Mr and Mrs Disbennett was owned by Mayor elect M W Hill while Mrs Tropp and Mr Tonguet owned their own homes Their losses are partially covered by insurance

A delightful organ recital was given in the M E church Friday evening Mr Paul F Hutchinson presiding at the organ Vocal selections were rendered by Mrs O L Mathews Miss Elizabeth King and Mrs Blanche Whitehead The proceeds from the entertainment were added to the fund for the new piano to be purchased for the M E Sunday school

The Birthday club gave Miss Mollie Reece a very delightful surprise Thursday evening at her home northeast of Richwood the affair having been planned in honor of her departure in the near future for Marion where she will reside The club members had prepared a delicious lunch which they served late in the evening The hours were very happily spent with music and other diversions

Harry Carroll a former Richwood boy who has been employed as assistant engineer for the Baker Chemical company at Inghs Florida during the past year is ill of malarial fever and a few days ago was taken to a hospital in Ocalla He is a son of Mr Pearl Carroll of Richwood and is doing well in the South Miss Cuba Moffett who was critically ill of scarlet fever for several days is rapidly recovering Little Miss Margaret Schambs is also gradually recovering from the same disease There are no new cases and it is thought that the prompt action of the board of health will prevent the spread of the malady

Mrs B C Roberts and Mrs H Q Johnston were hostesses to a company of ladies Thursday afternoon at the Roberts home on east Ottawa street The hours were spent socially and very pleasantly and delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses A collection was taken to be added to the fund for the purchase of a new piano for the M E Sunday school

Miss Mary Fallman of Prospect spent the past week with her cousin Miss Gladys Fallman

Mrs J S Rust of Ashtabula has been the guest of her mother Mrs Mercer Linder during the past week

J R Errington left Saturday for a few weeks with friends in Mt Vernon and Gambier

Mrs Estillsmith spent the week with friends in Marion

Mrs W C Sloop was hostess to the Ladies Missionary society of the Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon at her home on north Clinton street A very interesting program was rendered Mrs Charles Bender being the leader After the business meeting the ladies remained seated hour and the hostesses served lunch Several guests were present at the meeting

Mrs Samuel J Covert has returned to her home in Dayton during his visit

Mrs Eli Sloop left Saturday for Akron to spend a few weeks with her son John Sloop and family

The ladies of the Baptist church held a market Saturday, for the benefit of their church

Mrs Samuel Larcomb and daughter Hazel, and Miss Onda McPherson were the guests, Saturday of Mrs Ray Waring and family, of near Radnor

The ladies of the Presbyterian church met at the home of Mrs Clyde Cushman of south Franklin street Friday afternoon, and spent the hours sewing for the bazar which they are planning to hold in the near future

Emery Cahill who left Richwood several days ago for Port Inglis Florida to spend the winter was in a railroad wreck on the Queen & Crescent road near Atlanta Georgia on his way to Port Inglis Two people were killed and a larger number was injured Mr Cahill escaped uninjured

Superintendent Archer Olive and the teachers in the local public schools returned home Saturday, from Cincinnati where they attended the meeting of the Central Ohio Teachers association The meeting proved both profitable and enjoyable to the local educators The pupils of the schools greatly enjoyed the two days vacation many going away for week end visits

GROSS EARNINGS OF INTERURBAN LINES

Earnings of Columbus Delaware & Marion $485,075

Columbus O Nov 11—The gross earnings of all street railway interurban and suburban electric railway companies operating in Ohio for the year ending June 30 1911 were reported to the state tax commission today to be $35 703 794 against $31 143 94 for the same period in 1910

The state collects a revenue of 12 per cent upon this making its collections for 1911 $4 285 477 53 against $3 917 727 in 1910 Among others were the following

City Railway company Dayton $600 34 Columbus Delaware & Marion Railroad company $355 075 Columbus Marion & Bucyrus Railroad company $4 417 Dayton Covington & Piqua Traction company $12 731 Dayton & Troy Electric Railway company $72 481 Dayton Springfield & Xenia Southern Railway company $147 608 Dayton Street Railway company $11 401 Dayton Monroe & Toledo Short Line Railway company $16 687 East Liverpool Traction & Light company $30 608 Forain Street Railway company $17 907 Northern Ohio Traction & Light company $3 571 42 Peoples Railway company Dayton $479 210 Steubenville & East Liverpool Railway & Light company $248 17 Steubenville & Wheeling Traction company $1 111 7

THE SAWYERS NOW AT WHITE OAKS FARM

Patients and Employes of Sanitorium Move Last Saturday

The work of moving from the former home of the Dr C E Sawyer sanatorium to the new sanatorium at the White Oaks farm about a mile and a half southwest of the city was completed Saturday The patients and employes of the institution are now comfortably settled in the beautiful new location

The new sanatorium is situated on the White Oaks road along the C, D & M electric road, having a station along the latter road at which all cars stop It is in easy access of the city and can be reached from the Prospect pike or Bellefontaine avenue the road being a continuation of Davids street

The business and professional offices of the Drs Sawyer are at the new sanatorium where they can be reached by telephoning No 67

MANY FRIENDS ARE GIVEN A SURPRISE

Miss Mary K Conn and Mr Thomas J Hagen Wed

The many friends of Miss Mary K Conn of No 56 Leider street and Mr Thomas J Hagen of Silver street will be surprised to learn of their marriage which took place at Chatham Ontario Canada April 18 The young people were married while on a trip to Canada and decided to keep the marriage a secret and surprise their friends Sunday the marriage was announced at the bride's home in the presence of a number of the friends of the contracting parties

Mr and Mrs Hagen are very well known in the city Mr Hagen is employed as a pattern maker in the shops of the Marion Steam Shovel company Mrs Conn has been living at home with her two sisters They will make their home at No 56 Leider street

FRANK DAWSON IS VICTIM OF ACCIDENT

Sight of Left Eye Destroyed by Flying Chip

Frank Dawson aged seventy two years a well known farmer of Marion county residing near Meeker met with an accident Wednesday as a result of which he has lost the sight of his left eye Dawson was watching his son Frank Dawson Jr and his son in law Asa McIntire build some fence when a chip struck him in the eye injuring the iris so badly that the sight was destroyed Dr C S Burnsides of Meeker was summoned and gave the injured man the necessary attention It may be found necessary to remove the injured optic

THE OLD REFORMER.

By William T. Ellis.

The International Sunday-School Lesson for November 19 Is "Ezra's Journey to Jerusalem." Ezra 8 15-36

Now that it has grown so notably the fashion for literary men to enter the sphere of practical politics and reform, it is especially suggestive to study the career of a more distinguished literary man than they all who lived half a century before the beginning of the Christian era This famous author bore the name of Ezra and he might have lived the congenial life of a bookish recluse amid the prosperity of Babylonia Instead he chose the distasteful hurly burly of administrative work sacrificing himself for what he considered the greatest public cause of his time

Ezra is one of the giant figures of this romantic period which has bulked so largely in Jewish and Christian history and which now the spade is digging up from beneath the arid soil of Mesopotamia Ezra came to a place of power by sheer native force He had a visionary's dreams and an executive's capacity transformed his dreams into political realities

A Nation in the Furnace

All ships look stately except the one upon which you ride says the proverb It is hard to perceive the importance and meaning of one's own age So the Jews who lived through the period of the exile in Babylonia did not understand the big meaning of it all That it was a national furnace for the purification of the Jews is better understood now than then The individual experience of misery of temporal prosperity and of safety under the protection of the law of Babylonia were all that the average Jew got out of the exile There are Chinese in plenty who are troubled by the unsettled state of their land at the present time but who cannot at all see that their nation is passing through its greatest crisis The extraordinary unsettling of American thought in our day means to some persons merely that business is no good They are blind to the larger interpretation of their times

This crisis of the Jewish exile consisted of the three deportations to Babylonia the period of sojourn there and the three returns—the first already studied the second under Ezra at a period eighty years later and then the third under Nehemiah The present lesson touches a period eighty years later than the lesson of last month which also treated of the return

By Desert Ways

The thought of travel in the desert appeals to every lover of picturesque and the adventurous Just as a caravan of camels on the sky line is a thing of rare beauty and stateliness but common and even unpleasant when seen close at hand so these desert journeyings are made attractive by distance The exiles could tell you that the camel is infested with vermin and that there is no beast of burden which so racks its rider These same Jews who had left comfortable homes in Babylonia could tell of the choking misery of dust and sand storms of the dirt barrenness and discomfort of caravan life They could paint with many a graphic gesture the torrid heat of the desert at this time of year

To the spectator they were doubtless as interesting as the caravans which one may see today I have watched the Persian pilgrims travel across this Mesopotamian desert some on camel back some of the children in panniers swung at each side of the beasts of burden some on donkeys the rich on horses some afoot The speed of the journey is a camel's pace—about three miles an hour Probably then as now the camels were decorated with blue shells and musical bells A devout Jew seeing the cavalcade set out from Babylon would watch it from the heights just as I watched an expedition set out across the desert from old Asshur Did their imaginations foretell the testing times they were to have by the way and the regretful thoughts they would send backward to the fat land of Babylonia?

Literary But Business-like

It is the visionary who sways the minds of kings and it was Ezra the scribe who secured the favor of Artaxerxes for the return of some 1 700 exiles to Jerusalem He won the good will of the government and secured immunity from taxation by the way and the promise of help from local officials as well In gifts they bore with them sums aggregating more than $2 000 000 in American currency

That best business methods are thoroughly consistent with high idealism was shown by Ezra's conduct with respect to this treasure He had every shekel of it carefully weighed at the beginning of the journey the responsibility accurately distributed and then he made an exact reckoning at the end That sort of system should characterize every religious and philanthropic organization Every churchman in a position of trust should demand regular and genuine auditing of his accounts The model business administration of every community might most properly be that of the best religious organization

The other side of Ezra's character came out when the question of asking for a guard arose He had represented Jehovah as the ruler of nations able to lift up and to cast down His fine sense of the fitness of things and his zeal for the honor of Jehovah would not permit him to ask for an escort from the king He took all proper precautions and then trusted the Lord

The Reform Gone Wrong

It seemed but a little time before that the main body of exiles had entered Jerusalem with mingled grief and jubilation, the sound of rejoicing over the laying of the foundations of the temple seemed still to be lingering in the air The ecstasy of that occasion was fairly delirious but to Ezra finds little trace of it all There has been a huge slump somewhere Dreams have given way to practical measures A tragedy had slowly been enacted like unto that witnessed in our own times when a young man who might have become a great poet a great preacher or a great reformer deteriorates into a mere millionaire Jerusalem had insured its prosperity at the cost of its message

Is there any worse calamity in life than to lose one's gleam? Thousands of high souled young men and women are thus gradually becoming blind and deaf to the ideals which had once been as life itself to them They have perhaps mastered fortune but they have lost their soul's loftiest possession Even to these returned Jews had found it good business to make alliances with the heathen What a descent from the first sincerity of their purposes when they had refused help from their contaminated brethren in building As is so often the case with the practical man his short sightedness leads him to steps which really defeat his purpose Had these Jews scanned a larger horizon they would have recalled that they were voluntarily adopting the method which in ancient Assyrian emperor had used to destroy the national integrity of the Jews They were taking heathen wives and thus losing their identity as a nation

The tendency to conform to one's environment and associates is as common a temptation as moral meets Worldliness always sits seductively at the door of the church and usually she is invited inside Be we not conformed but be we transformed it the word for all church people Some one says that the church is in the world which is her privilege but when the world gets into the church that is her peril

Cleaning Up the Town

An evangelist has come to town Why is this Did we not have an evangelist last year Is another revival necessary Alas and alas so it is There are few churches or communities that do not need frequent reviving Jerusalem which within the memory of living men had witnessed a great religious celebration was now sick in need of another spiritual experience She was in such bad case that it took all the courage of this man of books to meet the emergency Ezra had a grip upon the law That was his characteristic He was not the sort of evangelist whose stock in trade is sentimental stories and saccharinous platitudes I mean moral appeals would of do for Jerusalem so Ezra laid down the law the stern and immovable law of Jehovah which the lapsed city was violating

Sugar or Salt?

Some folks can't see why piety does no alone for lawless ness Coatsville attempted to justify herself in the eyes of the world by pointing to her especial religiousness The world said prove it by convicting the criminals in your midst Put Coatsville had not religion enough for that In this extraordinarily perverted and dangerous separation between religiousness and loyalty to law lies a deep peril of our modern times The Jews observed their temple ritual but they kept heathen wives Ezra understood that his mission was not to be sugar to make himself agreeable to people but to be salt to purify and preserve society So he drove the terror of the law into their consciousness until something like an epidemic of fear and remorse seized them His note was borrowed by Sam Jones who was forever urging people to quit your meanness

The sentimentalist would say that Ezra's demand that these Jews should relinquish their wives involved hardship So it did Likewise it is always a hardship when the thief is divorced of his income It is a worthy hard by however one's family when he is sent to jail Whoever said that the wage of sin should be anything else than hard To break the law always brings trouble and often trouble to the innocent is well as the guilty The cleaned up church creates havoc in some quarters yet clean church is worth all that it costs Nobody doubts now that Ezra's stern measures were the means of preserving the life of the Jew and in saving the returned exile from a moral deterioration that would perhaps have amounted to an extinction of the Jewish people

CHARLES E. SIPLE HAS LEG BROKEN

While Unloading Flag Stone in East Marion Monday

Charles L Siple of No 184 Jefferson street had both bones of the left leg below the knee broken while unloading flag stone at the corner of Mt Vernon and Hane avenues about 10 30 o'clock Monday morning

Siple was removed to his home in the Postle & Curtis ambulance by Dr Herman Rhu summoned

THE GIFT OF TONGUES FIGURES IN A SUIT

Divorce Case of Smith Against Smith Dismissed

ALBERT S SMITH IS DENIED DIVORCE

Claims He Can Not Live with a Devil and Be a Christian but the Court Refuses To See Matter in the Same Light—Prisoners Are Given Sentences—Court Notes

The divorce matter of Albert S Smith against Clara Belle Smith occupied the attention of the court of common pleas for a time Saturday and was heard with some interest by a crowd of attorneys and attaches about the courthouse

Smith wanted a divorce on grounds of gross neglect of duty in a number of ways recited in his petition The couple has three children A part of the testimony had been taken at a former hearing and only witnesses for the defense were examined Saturday morning One woman testified that Smith was a member of what is known as the Holy Rollers and had claimed the gift of seven tongues She also testified to unseemly actions on the part of Smith who with another man and a colored woman composed the congregation which held regular meetings in a house in the North End It was explained that Smith at one time danced out of the house holding the negro woman by the hand and declaring she was an angel The proceedings at the Holy Roller meetings as a whole incensed Mrs Smith and Smith claiming he could not live with a devil and be a Christian at the same time began the divorce proceeding

The court did not see the matter in the same way and dismissed the suit at the costs of the plaintiff

Albert Freeburg and Walter Carman two young men pleading guilty to burglarizing the clothing store of William Kelly in West Marion were sentenced to indefinite terms in the reformatory in Mansfield Saturday They were taken to that institution Monday

In the suit of Sarah J Harvey against the City of Marion for damages alleged to the result of city sewage being drained onto the premises of the plaintiff west of the city the jury returned a verdict about 10 o'clock Friday evening, giving Mrs Harvey damages in the sum of $800 Mrs Harvey sued to recover $1 000

In the proceeding of Christian Kientz against August Krull Roscoe Oborn receiver for the Ohio Milling & Elevator company has filed an answer and cross petition in which he sets up a claim of $_11 which he wants given priority over the claims

The plaintiff company in the suit of T H M Lain company against Hildreth & Lee has filed a reply in which all the material allegations contained in the answer are denied

When the trial of the damage suit of Sarah Harvey against the City of Marion was resumed in the court of common pleas at 9 o'clock Friday morning Judge W T Duncan of Hancock county found one of the jurors missing The juror came straggling in late and got a roasting from the judge Then when it was supposed that everything was ready to proceed it was learned that an attorney for the plaintiff was missing He showed up later and came in for a like roasting with the court as to lateness Next when court was ready to proceed it was found that the witnesses for the plaintiff were missing They were also late The court very promptly ordered that the testimony for the defense be taken up and the trial proceeded It was indeed an object lesson in lateness and the court found no pleasure in it

Judge William T Scofield Monday afternoon sustained the trial of Almond Tuttle of Kimball's call for Monday November The trial of Dr W A Christian for attempting to procure an abortion case for December 1 Horace Berry charged with failure to support pregnant woman was bound into court and on the petition of attorney the assignment of his trial was postponed his attorney stating that there were matters entering into the case making it an impropriety to try him before the birth of the child

Bert F Milligan has begun suit for divorce against Lovell Milligan They were married June 8 1910 and have no children The plaintiff charges gross neglect of duty abuse and drunkenness

Culepp Incorvia an Italian from Sicily has made application to the clerk of courts to secure the naturalization papers issued to him September 1 1906 so that he can not be made to serve in the Italian army when he returns to Italy He will start for his former home November 1 and expects to marry there and bring his wife back to America

Bids Rejected

Three bids for the construction of a bridge across the Scioto river at the Green Camp pike were rejected by the county commissioners Monday afternoon because of the lateness of the season There is a possibility also that the present plans of the bridge will not be followed

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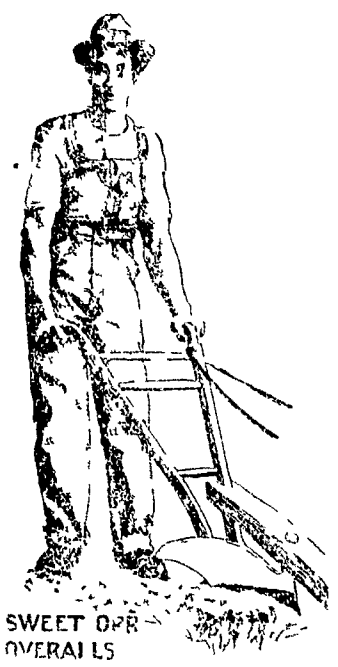

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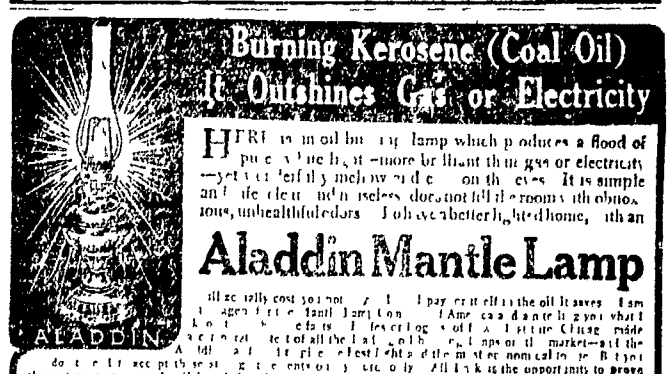

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NORRIS FOR PRESIDENT OF THE CONVENTION

The delegate to the constitutional convention who is to be president must be a worthy successor to the distinguished men who held that position in the three previous conventions. Edward Tiffin, afterwards governor of the state, presided over the first convention. William Medill, later elected governor, presided over the convention of 1850, which wrote the present constitution of the state. Over the third convention, that of 1872, presided a greater than the two before him, Judge Morrison R. Waite, afterwards chief justice of the federal supreme court. A distinguished trio, that, in the making of the constitution of the state of Ohio, who gave us a standard by which to measure men suggested for that honor at the present time.

The Star knows of no man elected to the new convention so generally fitted for that honored place as Judge Caleb H. Norris, of this city. We are not urging Judge Norris as a matter of local pride, though that would be ample to inspire, with so available a representative from Marion county. We are not commending Judge Norris because of any partisan prejudice, because Judge Norris and this paper are not in party accord. The judge is a Democrat from Jeffersonville and Jacksonville, and has never been known to offer excuse or apology. The Star commends Judge Norris to the favorable consideration of the delegates to the convention because of his sterling qualifications and his eminent fitness.

In the first place, he goes to the convention with no commission other than the expressed trust of his fellow citizens. His candidacy was of no self-seeking, and his election was without canvas. In Judge Norris' election there was a clear call to public duty. And he goes to the convention riding no hobbies, nursing no grievances, representing no faction or class, enrolled for highest service in behalf of Ohio and all its citizenship.

Judge Norris is more than a broad-minded citizen, with a wide experience in the affairs of daily life in Ohio. In youth he had the experience of the toiler for a daily wage. When he had obtained a place in the legal profession he was soon called to public service, first as prosecuting attorney, then to the common pleas and circuit benches, where he made a splendid record of twenty-five years not surpassed by any in all the land. Meanwhile he was a man of affairs, allied with industry and production, and now, since he has retired from the bench, he has been engaged in farming, not only owning but operating one of the finest farms on the plains of Marion county. On the whole, it is a rare and diversified experience in a strong and useful life, yet Judge Norris is still young, alert and strong, with a mind well-trained for the task before the coming convention. His career on the bench has been especially valuable in qualifying him for the presidency of the convention, and his other and important parts in a long career have been of great value in broadening his views and making him a composite of Ohio citizenship.

No one-idead man is suited to the presidency of the convention. No candidate with one or more special mission can be an ideal presiding officer. The president must be considerate of all, and the special representative of none, aiming at his highest service in a wise and conscientious accomplishment for all the people of this great state. For such a place, Judge Caleb H. Norris is deserving of the unanimous choice of the constitutional convention.

Some days ago, immediately after the election in fact, some one, apparently in good faith, wrote a communication to a Columbus newspaper asking for a comprehensive and comprehensible definition of Socialism. The newspaper has since published a large number of replies from members of the Socialist party, but as each of them differed from every other in his conception of what the term, as politically applied, really meant, the inquirer must be more confused than enlightened. One person, who, we imagine, is not really a convert to the red flag, says that "Socialism is the hope of securing through agitation and legislation the comforts, luxuries and privileges which otherwise we would have to work for."

Governor Wilson's admission that he didn't vote for Bryan in 1896 looks like a deliberate attempt to smoke out another well-known state executive.

We can't understand why Colonel Henri Watterson has been suggested for the presidency. He hasn't any fads that he could use to effect, politically.

We felt all along that Colonel Roosevelt wouldn't be able to restrain himself much longer.

THE COMMANDING FIGURE IN DEMOCRATIC PARTY

When Senator O'Gorman, of New York, said the influence of William Jennings Bryan will be a determining factor in the next national convention of the Democratic party, he stated a truth that will grow more and more apparent as convention time draws near. Colonel Bryan not only remains a strong and commanding figure in the Democratic party, but he has grown vastly in public esteem, in spite of his three defeats. He is a national figure far surpassing in eminence any of the talked-of aspirants in the Democratic party, has a fuller public confidence, and is the one consistent leader of them all.

The simple truth is that Colonel Bryan was the far-advanced advocate of what is called "progressive" Democracy and of what is appropriated by the Republicans who arrogate to themselves all the "progression," so much talked about. He was the real apostle of many of the teachings that President Roosevelt appropriated to turn to the making of his popularity. Colonel Bryan was advocating initiative and referendum when Woodrow Wilson was learnedly pointing out the fallacy thereof, when Champ Clark was thinking only of the beauties of office-holding Democracy and Oscar Underwood had not begun to show how figures will lie for or against a protective tariff. He was preaching progression when Judson Harmon was "keeping the grass worn down" *between* McKinley headquarters and the anti-Bryan Democratic watchhouse. He was proclaiming things now declared the cure-all for current ills when Robert La Follette was a "Let-Well-Enough-Alone" Republican, and James A. Garfield and Judge Wanamaker were denouncing his suggestions as the offerings of a mind unsound. If the country is to have "progression," it may get the simon-pure, original article from the discoverer and patentee, who has come to know more about it, as a big man always must, with the growing years. And the public had rather trust Colonel Bryan, more thoughtful than when first bidding for fame, than his smaller calibered imitators or followers.

More, if the country thinks the protective tariff plan to be wrong, and protection a robbery, why not have a real opponent of protection? Governor Wilson is for tariff reform, but in such tolerant moderation as to destroy no existing industry. Let's never bother with such a reformation. If protection is wrong, and a tariff for revenue only is a cure for high cost of living, and monopoly as well, let's have the real remedy in doses worth the taking. Let's cure the patient or learn, at memorable cost, that tariff removal is not the remedy, and stop the shouting of the politicians who are tariff-reform specialists—for campaigns only.

Colonel Bryan will be more than a determining factor in the national convention of the Democratic party. Wilson wobbles, Underwood is impossible, Champ Clark doesn't fit the requirements and Harmon is the candidate of the big interests. There are others, of course, but less conspicuous and less likely. Among them all, Colonel Bryan looms up, big and sincere, and courageous, the most eminent, most able, most consistent and most trusted Democrat of his ime. Democracy proposes to carry the Bryan battle flags next year, it will stand a better chance to win under command of its real leader.

A FAIR PROPOSITION ON SALOON QUESTION

In the interest of peace and a square deal to all the many other important questions entering into the work of constitution building, we suggest the following proposition for the consideration of the fair-minded men on both sides of the question:

"No irrevocable license to traffic intoxicating liquors shall be granted in this state. The general assembly may provide, by law, for the regulation, restriction or prohibition of such traffic, and may delegate powers, with respect thereto, to the counties, townships and municipal corporations of the state."

In support of this suggestion it appears to us that it is, in substance, if not in words—for we are not wedded to verbal forms—a fair, straightforward declaration, upon which all might unite; and it goes as far, we believe, as we should do in the organic law. It places in the hands of the people the power to do just what they may wish to do with this question. They may by law under it prohibit the traffic, restrict or regulate it by license or otherwise, or relegate the whole matter to the political subdivisions. It would protect the laws now in existence until they were directly amended or repealed. It would destroy no vested or assumed rights. If it concedes the right to license it also concedes the right to prohibit. If, as now appears, we are to have the initiative and referendum as a part of our organic legislative system, then this leaves the whole matter in plastic form for the operation and decision of the electorate.

It was hardly to be expected, perhaps, that Mr. Wheeler, of the Anti-Saloon league, and Mr. Andrea, of the Brewers' vigilance committee, would be in accord upon the form of the alternative proposition relating to the traffic in intoxicants, to be submitted at a separate referendum in connection with the new constitution. Both of these gentlemen are extremists, representing views radically opposed. They have begun to fill the air with sound, and with recriminations in support of their contentions. Mr. Andrae wants to have the present provision submitted, eliminating only the preliminary negative.

The clause in dispute is section 9 of article XV of the present constitution and reads: "Section 9. No license to traffic in intoxicating liquors shall hereafter be granted in this state; but the general assembly may, by law, provide against evils resulting therefrom."

To amend this clause by striking out the forbidding "No" at the beginning would, as Mr. Wheeler correctly points out, make the licensing of the traffic mandatory. On the other hand, Mr. Wheeler weakens his opposition when he says that it would, in effect, repeal the Aikin tax law, as what must be licensed can not be taxed. We do not believe that this is a good legal proposition. Mr. Wheeler declares that the questions must be submitted in the terse alternative forms: "Shall the traffic in intoxicating liquor be prohibited?" "Shall the traffic in intoxicating liquor be licensed?"

The objection to this is that it would plunge the state into a statewide prohibition fight in connection with the ratification of the constitution—a contest in which sight of every other question would be lost. This is also true of Mr. Andrae's amendment, for its adoption would make necessary a constitutional amendment to bring about any form of prohibition.

GREEN CAMP NOTES OF SOME INTEREST

A Number of Village Affairs of the Past Week.

Green Camp, O., Nov. 16.—[Special.]—The regular monthly meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. W. N. Porter last Wednesday afternoon. The attendance was good and a number of interesting papers were read. The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Charles Gilbert, in December.

Frank Hopkins left, Monday morning for Ada where he entered college.

Mrs. Mollie Welch, of East Liberty was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Welch last week.

The Young Men's class of the Baptist Sunday-school met at the home of the teacher, Mrs. J. B. Berry, last Friday evening, and elected officers for the coming year as follows: president, Floyd Uncapher; vice-president, J. Petty; secretary, Hugh Johnson; treasurer, Harvey Eaton.

A. S. Somerlot was a Lima visitor Monday.

Mrs. Mollie Carmine was a Mansfield visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wottring gave a pleasant evening for Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Kirts and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Berry, last Tuesday, at their home. The hours were passed in various games.

Miss Tina Bilby and Wiley Linton of Waynesburg, Pennsylvania, who were called here by the death of William Long, returned to their home Monday morning.

Mrs. Carl Smith and son, of LaRue, spent Saturday and Sunday at the W. N. Porter home.

The fair held by the Baptist church last Saturday afternoon and evening netted near forty dollars.

Mrs. Earl Reasoner, of Marion, spent a few days here last week.

Little Esther Hoberman is quite sick.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Fish and daughter, Mary, were called to Dayton this week on account of the death of their grandson, Mr. Morgan, who died of typhoid fever.

The beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Kirts was the scene of a happy gathering of guests who went out in automobiles to spend a season with them last Friday evening. The company consisted of Mrs. Capt. of Urbana; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gunder, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Delong, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. William Cressap and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Price, Mrs. Jennie Stout, Misses Sarah Curtis, Stella Allen, Mildred Price and Mr. Norwood. Music and games occupied the hours. A fine oyster supper was served.

Mr. and Mrs. John Porter and family who have been residing at New Castle, California, are at the home of Mr. Porter's parents Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Porter. They expect to locate in Marion soon.

Mrs. Sophrona Stouffer, of Marion was a visitor here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Roderick motored from Raymond, Saturday, and spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Johnston.

Mrs. Albert Boblenz and children of Agosta were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. McClelland, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. G. McNamara's mother, Mrs. Bagley, of Cheshire, was her guest last week.

Mrs. Maggie Hillery, of Bloomville, is the guest of her son, Rev. J. O. Hillery, at the M. E. parsonage.

A PLEASANT SURPRISE FOR PROSPECT WOMAN

Mrs. Catherine Gast Is Very Nicely Remembered.

EXCELLENT DINNER AND SOCIAL SEASON

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church Holds a Meeting at the Home of Mrs. Arsemus Rutter—Notes Gathered in Village During Week.

Prospect, O., Nov. 16.—[Special.]—In celebration of her birthday anniversary, Mrs. Catharine Gast was given a pleasant surprise at the home of her son, S. H. Gast, and family, last Monday. The company enjoyed a splendid dinner and Mrs. Gast was also nicely remembered. The company included Rev. and Mrs. L. H. Hurrelbrink, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Huffman, Misses Maggie and Abbie Stiffler, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gast, George Gast, John Landon, Edward Landon and Miss Anna Marie Howard, of Marion.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Maize, of Columbus, spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Codding returned to their home in Cleveland, Saturday, after a two-weeks visit with relatives.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the M. E. church held a regular monthly meeting with Mrs. Arsemus Rutter, on Water street, Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. R. H. Finefrock and daughter, Mary, were Columbus visitors, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Huff spent several days this week with relatives in Mt. Vernon.

Mrs. Charles Collmer spent Thursday and Friday with her cousin, Mrs. Med. Layman, in Marion.

Mrs. Nettie Gilmore entertained her niece, Miss Mary Ropp, of Delaware, from Thursday to Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Frank, of Marion, was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Gast, several days last week.

Mrs. H. D. Beavers and daughters, Florence and Isabel, visited relatives at Ashland from Friday to Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Longfellow and son, Robert, visited the past week with relatives in Bellefontaine.

W. Guy Jones, of Delaware, was a Prospect visitor, Thursday.

Mrs. Lydia Wobleater and granddaughter, Helen Evans, of Delaware, spent Saturday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Evans.

The following instructors from the Prospect schools attended the session of the Central Ohio Teachers' association in Cincinnati, last Saturday: J. B. Barker, Misses Fern Harriman, Florence Abbott, Mary Griffith, Sylvia Cellars, Hortense Van Osten and Oscar Gast.

Mrs. Amos Cox delightfully entertained the members of the Entre Nous club at her home on Park avenue, Thursday evening.

Mrs. Hattie B. Smith and sister, Mrs. George Zimmerman, of Delaware, were guests of friends here, Friday.

E. M. Stockwell and daughter, Helen, spent Sunday in Columbus.

Mrs. Hugh Harkins and Miss Caroline Barnhart visited the later's sister, Mrs. Merrick Davis, at Newark, from Thursday to Sunday.

Mrs. Daniel Fritch was hostess to the members of class, No. 8, of the Lutheran Sunday-school at her home on Elm street, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Jones, of Delaware, were guests of friends here, Saturday.

Anna, Ruth and Elizabeth Halliday, of Delaware, spent Saturday with friends here.

Mrs. Edward Griffith was given a miscellaneous shower by the members of the Rebekah lodge, at her home, Friday evening.

The Brotherhood of St. Paul's Lutheran church was nicely entertained at the home of Henry Landis, south of town, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Henry Mackey, of Marion, and Mrs. John Rouse and children, spent Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Samuel Lichtenberger, four miles east of Prospect.

Mrs. J. N. Freeman, Mrs. M. D. Baumgardner, Mrs. A. L. Gast, Mrs. C. R. Selanders attended the missionary convention of the Delaware district held at Mt. Victory last Thursday. The meeting throughout proved the largest in number of attendance and most interesting held in recent years. Owing to her promotion as treasurer of the Central Ohio conference and its extensive duties, Mrs. J. N. Freeman was compelled to resign the presidency of the district.

Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Baumbardner are spending the week with relatives at Swanton and Toledo.

A marriage license has been issued to W. Truman Owen and Miss Sabina M. Goerlich.

PUBLIC SALE—Pure bred Poland-China hogs, at Ququa Stock farm, ¼ mile south of Marion, on Delaware pike, Tuesday, November 21, 1911, consisting of 47 head large growthy kind, with quality; 35 head spring gilts and tried brood sows; 12 head of boars. Sale held under cover. Dinner 11 a. m. Sale to begin immediately after. Thanking all my former patrons and friends and hoping that I will make many new ones, I remain, W. H. Kraner, Marion, Ohio. 289-e-6-wk25-3-300-6

THE MUSICAL CLUB ENJOYS AN EVENING

Miss Crim and Mr. Bert Crim Are Host and Hostess.

MUSIC AND GAMES OCCUPY THE TIME

Miss Mary Fish Is Called to Dayton by the Death of a Nephew—Is a Teacher in the Schools at Morral. Miss Hazel Schultz Is Filling Position.

Morral, Nov. 16.—[Special.]—Miss Ethel Crim and her brother, Bert, entertained the Musical club at their home last Friday evening. The evening was spent with music and games. Dainty refreshments were served. Those present were: Miss Mildred Washburn, Miss Hazel Cottrell, Miss Hazel Schultz, Miss Harriet Sherwood, Miss Gladys Guthrey, Miss Marjorie Landon, Miss Mary Fish, Miss Gladys Hartman, Miss Beulah Cottrell, Mr. Harmon Wilmuth, Mr. Harold Schultz, Mr. Dwight Mahaffey, Mr. Ola Landon, and Mr. Ralph Miller.

Miss Belle Clinger, of Marion, was a guest at the A. Baldwin home, Thursday and Friday.

Dwight Mahaffey, who is attending school at Ada, was a week-end visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Mahaffey.

Miss Lesta Bridge, of Marion, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bridge, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Will, of Marion, are visiting Mrs. Will's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Will, west of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hedges very graciously entertained Mrs. J. H. Bardon's Sunday-school class of the M. E. church, at their home Monday evening. After a very interesting program was rendered, the time was spent socially. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brady have moved into the rooms vacated by Mrs. Lydia Messenger.

Mrs. H. A. Martin was the guest of Mrs. William DeLong in Marion, Tuesday.

Mrs. Fred Brooks and daughter, Berenice and Hazel, visited Mrs. Brooks' mother, Mrs. Gunder, at Nevada, Saturday and Sunday.

Mis Cora Hessly, of Marion, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bogart.

Mrs. J. H. Bagwill was the guest of Miss Zoe Barnthouse, of Upper Sandusky, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ballinger and daughter, Jen Eva, of Plain City, have moved into the house vacated by Eugene Harmon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Busler and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Will, west of here, were guests of Upper Sandusky friends, Sunday.

Mrs. R. H. Heistand was the guest of her parents, in Fostoria, from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. O. Washburn was a Marion visitor, Monday.

Miss Lillian Landon, of Columbus, and Miss Irwin, of Marion, were guests at the homes of Mrs. Irene Scobey and Mrs. Elizabeth Taylor, Sunday.

Mrs. A. Martin has returned home after several weeks visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. S. Neff, near Big Island.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Welsh, C. D. Hudson, Mrs. H. A. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Washburn, Mrs. J. H. Bardon, Mrs. Silas Smith, Mrs. Velma Loudenslager and children, Forrest and Mildred, and Gladys Hartman were Marion visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McClain, of near Upper Sandusky, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stouffer, Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. J. H. Bagwill is holding a series of meetings at Big Island.

Miss Mary Fish spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents at Green Camp.

Miss Gladys Guthrey was a Marion visitor, Saturday.

Perry Ingle, of Norton, was a visitor here, Sunday.

Miss Charlotte Bridge was a Marion visitor, Wednesday evening.

S. Strawder was the guest of relatives in Pickaway county, last week.

Miss Hazel Schultz spent several days last week with Miss Gertrude Brewer, of Marion.

Miss Myrtle Halsey, of Marion, was the guest of Miss Marjorie Landon, last Friday.

Miss Hazel De Good, of Union county, visiter her mother, Mrs. H. S. Giles, from Thursday until Sunday.

Miss Edith Miner, of Marion, was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Miner, a few days last week.

Arthur Ingle was a LaRue visitor Sunday.

Miss Mary Fish, teacher of the intermediate grade in the local schools, was called to Dayton, Monday, by the death of her nephew, Miss Hazel Schultz is teaching during the absence of Miss Fish.

Frank Neff, of near Big Island, visited at the home of H. A. Martin several days this week.

Miss Mabel Neiderhauser, of Nevada, visited Misses Hazel and Beulah Cottrell several days this week.

Miss Clata Norton was a week-end guest of relatives and friends in Little Sandusky

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walterhouse, of Little Sandusky, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Brady.

Mrs. J. W. Jolley, Mrs. C. J. Schultz, Mrs. Blanche Brady, W. W. Morral, H. S. Giles and H. E. Cook were Marion visitors, Tuesday.

Mrs. J. Stouffer, Mrs. H. A. Martin, Mrs. Charles Starkey, Mrs. Allen, Miss Rosannah Morral and C. E. Stouffer were Marion visitors, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Dennis, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Morral spent Friday at Wooster, the guests of their nieces, Misses Hazel and Marguerite Shoots, who are attending school there.

Merrill Smith, of Upper Sandusky, was here Saturday looking after his farm.

Mrs. Eugene Harmon and children, Mildred and Beatrice, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. Harmon, south of town.

Mrs. O. Washburn and son, Karl, motored to Upper Sandusky, Friday.

Mrs. Blanche McPherson, of Marion, and Miss Hazel Schultz were entertained at the J. P. Barnthouse home in Upper Sandusky, Saturday night and Sunday.

TECHNICALITY AIDS PACKERS

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ground that the nine defendants had not been surrendered in open court, but had gone through the formality in the marshal's office. Sheehan contended that the law specifically provided that, where bond was surrendered, and defendants reported, it should be in open court, and that because of this irregularity, the writ was void.

Counsel Taken Back.

Attorney Levy Mayer, of counsel for the packers, was apparently taken aback at this obstacle raised by the government to his neat plan. He told the court that the defense was ready to go ahead with argument of questions of law, but was not prepared on questions of fact. He finally declared that the defense would concede that the "prisoners" were merely turned over to the marshal, and he called attention to the fact that his petition for a writ so stated.

Sheean then began his argument in support of the motion to quash.

Judge Kohlsaat interrupted to suggest that, in view of the statement of the defense that it was not prepared to argue on questions of fact, that adjournment be taken for one hour so that they might study up on that aspect of the case. District Attorney Wilkerson then introduced two affidavits, one by himself and the other by Deputy Marshal Wolf, both of which bore out the governments contention, and narrated in detail that the packers were surrendered at the marshal's office and not in open court. These were placed at the disposal of the counsel for the defendants and court was thereupon adjourned for an hour.

All nine of the defendants who are parties to the most recent move in the packers' case were present in court today.

How Prices Advance.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—While the United States government through more than eight long years of litigation has sought to prosecute the packing trust for conspiracy in restraint of trade, the retail price of meat—that paid by the consumer—has steadily risen.

The following comparisons were complied today by a big retail butcher, showing the prices per pound in 1903 and 1911

Choice beef cuts	16 to 20	22 to 28
Steaks	16 to 18	23 to 25
Choice pork cuts	10	20
Lamb chops	16	20
Pork chops	12	20
Bacon	16 to 19	28 to 30
Ham	10 to 14	24 to 28
Beef liver	5	10
Veal	18 to 20	25 to 28
Eggs	12 to 14	38
Poultry	12 to 15	14 to 18

TRIAL MUST MOVE FASTER

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his local of the brotherhood. Late yesterday, the state tried to get him out of the way by consent of the court, but Judge Bordwell ruled that he would not reopen the case. The only concession he made was to make note of the authorities cited by Fredricks and say if he found himself wrong he would reverse his ruling later.

Should Bordwell stick to his position, the state must peremptorily challenge Brunner.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH DAMAGED

Bursting of Water Pipe Causes the Flooding of Rooms.

Shortly before 9 o'clock, Wednesday evening, a water pipe burst in the upstairs toilet of the First Presbyterian church. The water started to pour through the ceiling into a Sunday-school room and a hall, and before it could be turned off the ceiling was badly damaged. The breaking of the pipe occurred shortly after the closing of the prayer-meeting, and but for a meeting of a committee of the Foreign Missionary society, the church would have been flooded. The breaking of the pipe was reported to the firemen and Chief McFarland turned off the water.

COLONEL WANTS A SQUARE DEAL

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the whole situation, nor can any modification of the principle of the anti-trust law avail to meet the whole situation. The fact is that many men who have called themselves progressives, and who certainly believe that they are progressives, represent in reality in this matter not progress at all, but a kind of sincere rural toryism. These men believe that it is possible by strengthening the anti-trust law to restore business to the competitive condition of the middle of the century. Business can not be successfully conducted in accordance with practices and theories of sixty years ago unless we abolish steam, electricity, big cities, and, in short, not only all modern business and modern industrial conditions, but all modern conditions of our civilization. * * * * Our purpose should be, not to strangle business as an incident of strangling combinations, but to regulate big corporations in thorough-going and effective fashion, so as to help legitimate business as an incident to thoroughly and completely safeguarding the interests of the people as a whole. * * * *

Undisputed Fact.

"Few will dispute the fact that the present situation is not satisfactory, and can not be put on a permanently satisfactory basis unless we put an end to the period of froping and declare for a fixed policy, a policy which shall clearly define and punish wrong-doing, which shall put a stop to the iniquities done in the name of business, but which shall do strict equity to business. We demand that big business give the people a square deal; in return, we must insist that when any one engaged in big business honestly endeavors to do right, he shall himself be given a square deal; and the first, and most elementary, kind of square deal is to give him in advance full information as to just what he can, and what he can not legally and properly do. * * * *

"It is not necessary in an article like this to attempt to work out such a plan in detail. It can assuredly be worked out. * * * * The success of Wisconsin in dealing with the corporations within her borders, so as both to do them justice and to exact justice in return from them toward the public, has been signal; and this nation should adopt a progressive policy in substance akin to the progressive policy not merely formulated in theory but reduced to actual practice with striking success in Wisconsin. * * * *

"The national government exercises control over interstate commerce, and it can, in similar fashion exercise control over all industrial organizations engaged in interstate commerce. This control should be exercised, not by the courts, but by an administrative bureau such as the bureau of corporations or the Interstate Commerce commission; for the courts can not with advantage permanently perform executive and administrative functions."

MEEKER NEWS NOTES OF THE PAST WEEK

People Visiting Village and in the Vicinity.

Meeker, O., Nov. 16.—[Special.]—Elsworth Spangler was a visitor in Marion, Monday.

Mrs. T. J. Carey spent several days at Ada this week.

Miss Myrtle Alexander is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frank Peters, in Marion.

E. E. Mason was a Prospect visitor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McCreery and son, Willard, visited friends at Pfeiffer station, Wednesday.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church met last week at the home of Mrs. James McIntire.

Emery Brunner was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brunner, near Upper Sandusky, Sunday.

Miss Clemma Grubb was a Marion visitor last week.

Mrs. Merle Tonguet and son Donald, of Marion, have been the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. June Sprague.

The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be administered next Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the M. E. church by Rev. M. C. Wisel of LaRue, assisted by Rev. T. Carey.

At a recent business meeting the Ladies' Aid society, the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mrs. Sara McElvey; secretary, Mrs. A. James; assistant secretary, Mrs. Elizabeth Hollis; visitors for the sick, Mrs. John Alexander, Mrs. James McIntire and Miss Eli Brown.

Miss Cecile Sprague was a visitor in Marion, Saturday.

Miss Carrie Mears was the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Day, Tuesday.

Mrs. Lois Redding, of Marseilles visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. McElvey, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmath Alexander and son, Paul, of Marion, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Alexander, of this place.

COMMON PLEAS COURT.

Alice C. Bristley has begun a suit in the court of common pleas against Robert Bristley to quiet title to a small piece of real estate in Tully township.

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Alfalfa in Ohio.

Alfalfa as a farm crop in Ohio has risen during recent years from a position of doubtful adaptation to one of recognized value; though its utilization is by no means as extensive as its merits would warrant In order to obtain more definite knowledge respecting the actual experience of farmers with alfalfa, the Ohio experiment station, at Wooster, has made a statewide survey of this crop, and the information thus obtained has been brought together in circular, No. 113, just issued, and which describes the practice of farmers in all parts of the state who are successfully growing alfalfa. The questions of soil, time and manner of seeding, liming, drainage, manuring, fertilizing, cultivating, harvesting, economy of production and marketing are treated in this circular in a way to answer the questions where to grow alfalfa, under what conditions it is most likely to succeed and under what ones to fail. The circular will be sent free to any applicant, who addresses the experiment station, Wooster, Ohio.

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HEAVENS OF MONTH ARE VERY INTERESTING

Four Comets Are Now in Sight for Students.

FACTS IN REGARD TO VARIOUS STARS

How the Comets and Stars May Be Located—The Planets and Their Locations—What the Astronomers Are Viewing in the Heavens Nightly.

It is a very unusual thing that two comets, conspicuous to the naked ege, should be in sight at once. Such was the case, however, during the early part of October, when Brooks' comet was still a prominent object in the evening sky, and could also be seen before dawn, while farther to the south, in the morning sky, appeared another comet, of about the same brightness.

This latter object, discovered by the Rusian astronomer, Beljawsky, September 28 reminds one in some ways of the great comet of January, 1910. Both were first observed as conspicuous naked-eye objects, rising shortly before the sun, and in both cases it was some time before satisfactory observations of position could be obtained, owing to the difficulty of seeing the nearby stars, which serve as reference points, upon the brightly illuminated morning sky.

A satisfactory orbit has by this time been computed, which explains why the comet was not seen sooner. It was in perihelion, at a distance of 28,000,000 miles from the sun, October 10. Three weeks earlier it was more than twice as far from the sun, and probably less than one-quarter as bright Moreover, its orbit stands almost at right angles to the plane of the ecliptic, so that it came from far south of and hence in a very unfavorble position for northern observers, until about the time of discovery. At the date of writing it is in the evening sky, in fifteen hours R. A and three degrees south of the equator, and sets about one and one-half hours later than the sun November 1 it was almost due west of the sun at a distance of some twenty-five degrees, and will still be observable; but, being already twice as far from the sun as at perihelion, and remoter, too, from the earth it will not be a all conspicuous, though it may be followed telescopically by southern observers for some time. Brooks' comet, which passed north of the sun on October 12, at a distance of thirty-six degrees, is now a fine object in the morning sky On November 1st, it was almost exactly on the celestial equator, not far from the star Gamma Virginis, and will rise fully two hours before the sun

Its head, at last reports, was of the second magnitude, and its tail twenty degrees long, so that it will be well worth getting up to see, before the moon comes into the morning sky. Later in the month it recedes from us and from the sun, gets more and more nearly behind the latter, and disappears.

Still a third comet, discovered by Quenisset on September 23 is under observation. This one requires the aid of a field glass, at least, to make it visible. Its orbit is likewise highly inclined to that of the earth, but its distance from the sun at perihelion on November 12 is 72,000,000 miles. At the beginning of November it is in fifteen hours and forty-five minutes R. A. and thirteen degrees north declination, and is moving south and a very little east, at the rate of one degree a day. This puts it 1 and one-half hours west and twenty-seven degrees north of the sun, so that it will be easily observable It will probably be of about the seventh magnitude.

A faint periodic comet, first discovered by Borelly in 1905, has been rediscovered on its return at certain southern observatories, but, being visible only in the most powerful telescopes, is of little interest to us

The Heavens.

With the present month, a slight change is made in the manner in which the star-maps of our annual sequence are used. Up to this time they have shown the appearance of the sky during the early evening in the month of publication, or the later evening hours of the preceding month. There are some advantages in choosing our assumed hour of observation a little later, so that the same stars may still be seen, before twilight, during the month following that for which these articles are published From this time, therefore, our map will show the sky as it appears at 10.30 p. m. in the middle of the month of pulication, and at 8:30 in the middle of the next month.

At these hours, then, in November or December, The Great Bear is low in the northeast, and Draco and Ursa Minor are beneath the pole. Cassiopeia and Cepheus are high up, just west of north. The brilliant Vega is setting in the northwest, and the cross of Cygnus stands erect, just to the left. The great square of Pegasus is the most conspicuous object in the western sky. Below it lies Aquarius, the constellation represented in our initial letter. This is one of the ancient signs of the zodiac, but contains no bright stars. Its most prominent group is a small Y, lying on its side. This represents the water jar from which the Water-Bearer pours forth a stream marked by small stars too faint to be shown on our map which flows downward first to the right and then to the left, till it is swallowed by the Southern Fish, whose one bright star, Fomalhaut, is now low on the southwestern horizon.

Due south in Cetus, with one conspicuous star, standing very much alone about thirty degrees northeast of Famalhaut North of this is the inconspicuous group of Pisces, and the small but brighter one of Aries, with Andromeda still higher, right overhead.

The most brilliant region of the whole heavens is now well up in the southeast, where Sirus has just risen. Orion is resplendent above him, and Taurus shines still higher up. Mars and Saturn, which are at present between Taurus and Aries, add their luster to the spectacle. Procyon is low down in the east and Castor and Pollux are a little higher, and more to the north. Above them, the bright Capella marks the place of Auriga, and above this, almost overhead, is Perseus: Minima of the variable star Algol—may be observed at 5 p. m. on the 1st, 3 p. m. on the 4, 10 p. m. on the 21, 7 p. m. on the 24, and so on; the eclipses coming on every third day, about three hours ten miutes earlier by the clock

The Planets.

Mercury is evening star throughout November, but, being very far south of the sun is ill placed for observation Toward the end of the month he may perhaps be seen as he sets about 5:15 p. m.

Venus is morning star, at her very best, rising in the neighborhood of 3 a. m and getting high in the southeast before dawn. On the 16th she is in conjunction with the crescent moon, and, when nearest, is about 2 p. m, will be less than a degree away. By this hour both will be low in the west, so, if we wish to see the planet in the daytime, which is perfectly easy if the sky is really clear, we will do better to go out in the forenoon and look a couple of degrees east of the moon.

Mars is in opposition on the 24th and is visible all night He is farther from us than he was two years ago, 47,000,000 miles—but his high northern declination makes up for this, by carrying him high in the sky, where we have to look through less of our own unsteady atmosphere in order to see him.

To find him, it is only necessary to look eastward, and pick out the brightest and reddest thing in sight. With even a small telescope, he shows a considerable disk The darker markings which are the most conspicuous features of the Martian surface can be seen fairly well with small telescopes, and there will also show that the "polar cap" is at present inconspicuous, most if not all of the polar snows having disappeared during the long summer of the Martian southern hemisphere, now near its close.

Jupiter is in conjunction with the sun on the 17th, and is invisible throughout the month.

Saturn is just past opposition in Aries, about twenty degrees west of Mars, and is finely placed for observation, with the ring-system opened widely The contrast in color and brightness between the two planets is conspicuous to the naked eye.

Uranus is in Sagittarius, too low in the west at sunset to be well seen. Neptune is in Gemini, coming to meridian about 1 a. m. in the middle of the month.

The moon is full at 11 a. m. on the 6th, in her last quarter at 2 a. m. on the 13th, new at 1 p. m. on the 20th, and in her last quarter at 9 p. m. on the 28th. She is nearest us on the 5th, and remotest on the 24th. She is in conjunction with Saturn on the 6th, Mars on the 7th, Neptune on the 11th, Venus on the 16th, Jupiter on the 20th, Mercury on the 22d, and Uranus on the 25th.—Henry Norris Russell, Ph D. of Princeton university observatory, in Scientific American.

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Marion Woman Honored in Meeting at Mt. Victory.

FRIENDS IN THE CITY ARE MUCH PLEASED

The Meeting of the Woman's Home Missionary Society Workers Proves a Big Success—Quite a Large Delegation from Marion Is in Attendance—Next Meeting Here.

Mrs. C. R. Havighurst, wife of the new pastor of Epworth M. E. church, was highly honored by being elected president of the Delaware district Woman's Home Missionary society of the Central Ohio conference of the Methodist church, at the twenty-eighth annual convention at Mt. Victory, Thursday. Mrs. Havighurst is an active church worker and is highly deserving of the honor conferred upon her.

A large number of the members of the Home Missionary society of Epworth church attended the convention One of the gratifying developments of the convention to them was that the convention next year will be held in this city.

The company from here included Mrs. Frank Hunter, Mrs. Hugh Smith, Mrs. C. Mack, Mrs. William Mercness, Mrs. S. L. Leeka, Mrs. Minnie M. Everett, Mrs. C. R. Havighurst, Mrs. J. Merchant, Mrs. James M. Monnett, Miss Grace Spaulding and Miss Mary Rexroth.

Mrs. S. L. Leeka, of this city, read an interesting paper on the subject, "The Necessity for the Woman's Home Missionary society and Some of its Problems." Miss Grace Spaulding, conference secretary of literature, discussed "Our Literature" and was heard with interest Mrs. Havighurst discussed "Does Tithing Increase Our Funds?"

A number from this city remained for the evening session. The Marion party, the largest delegation present at the convention, left here about 10 o'clock Thursday morning At the noon hour, a fine dinner was served at the church, where the sessions were held

Mrs. Havighurst, the new president of the society, in Delaware district, will succeed Mrs. J. M. Freeman, of Prospect.

MRS. GEORGE W. HILL A VICTIM OF CANCER

Death Comes to a Prominent Marion County Woman.

DEMISE THE RESULT OF A LONG ILLNESS

Mrs. Hill Is a Christian Woman Having a Host of Friends and Acquaintances Throughout the City and County Who Deplore Her Death—Funeral Arrangements.

Mrs. Mary E. Hill, wife of George W. Hill, died at the family residence seven miles north of Marion, Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock. Mrs. Hill had been a sufferer of cancer for the past tow years. Tuesday and Wednesday morning she felt remarkably well and Wednesday ate dinner with the family. Shortly after the meal she was taken very ill of congestive chills and severe pains in the stomach

Mrs. Hill was born in Grand Prairie township January 14, 1864, and had always resided in this county. She was a daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Hinamon. December the 21, 1887, she was united in marriage to Mr. G. W. Hill at the home of her parents To this union were born two daughters, Mildred and Ruth, whom with their father survive to mourn their loss. She also leaves two sisters and four brothers, Mrs. L. P. Lindsay, of north State street; David Hinamon, of north Main street; Mrs. G. F. Malcom, William, Milton and Charles Hinamon all residing north of Marion, and a host of other reatives and friends

The deceased was a loving wife and mother, a patient sufferer and an earnest Christian woman For the past eight years she has been affiliated with the Christian church at Kirkpatrick.

The funeral was held from the late residence Sunday afternoon at 12:30 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Gullage, of Caledonia, assisted by Rev. Mr. Keeran, of Marion, the new minister of the Christian church, officiated. The remains were laid to rest in the Marion cemetery.

MARIONITES ENJOY FINE COUNTRY DINNER

At Home of Mr. and Mrs. Kirts South of Green Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Kirts entertained a company of Marion friends at their home south of Green Camp, Friday night, the Marionites making the trip in three automobiles. A fine dinner was served, and later the time was given to games and music.

Those who made up the party were Mrs. Silam Kemp, of Urbana; Miss McCollister, of Marysville, and Mr. and Mrs. S. H. DeLong, Mr. and Mrs. John Gunder, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. William Creasap and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Price, Mrs. Jennie Stout, Miss Mildred Price, Miss Stella Allen and Miss Sarah Curtis.

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OWEN T. FERGUSON DIES SATURDAY

He Falls a Victim to Cancer of the Stomach.

Owen Theodore Ferguson, whose place of residence is Columbus, but who made his home in this city with his sister Mrs. S. B. King, of Mt Vernon avenue, since last August, died Saturday morning after an illness of about one year of cancer of the stomach.

During his residence here, he gained many friends. He was at the time of his death forty-five years of age, and during the greater part of his life he was employed as an engineer. Aside from his wife, who survives him, and who resides in Columbus, there are two children surviving. They are Harry, aged twenty, who resides in Vincennes, Indiana, and Robert, aged six years, who resides with his mother in Columbus. Aside from Mrs. King, Mrs. Anna Howard, of Beeman, Montana, three brothers, Park Ferguson, of Howard Montana, Harry Ferguson, of Rochester, New York, and Edward Ferguson of Elkhart, Indiana, survive.

Mr. Ferguson left a request that his body be creamated.

CONTRACTS ARE LET BY COUNTY SURVEYOR

Two Big Ditch Improvements To Be Completed.

The Bricker ditch in Green Camp township and the Bricker joint-county ditch were sold Saturday by County Surveyor George E. Dwyer. The Bricker ditch is 3,562 feet long. W. O. Travis was awarded the open work for $347, and the Richwood Clay company got the tile contract at the estimate, $974.40.

Travis also got the open work for the joint-county ditch, his bid being $300, and the Richwood company got the tile contract at the estimate of $752.80. This improvement will be 2,590 feet in length.

The contract for a concrete wall in the Bricker ditch was given Gus Kobarger at his bid of $50.

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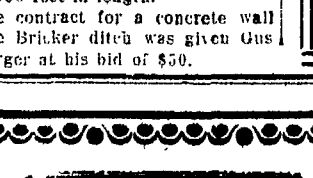

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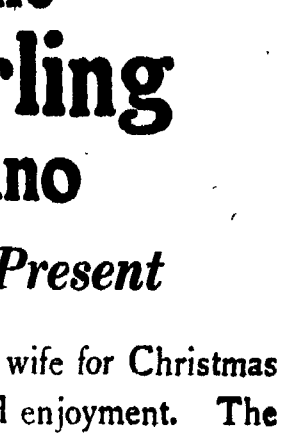

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Released from Jail.

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OFFICIAL FINDINGS OF ELECTION BOARD

Some Facts as to the Vote Cast in City and County.

NUMBER OF VOTES GIVEN CANDIDATES

The Changes from the Unofficial Report Are Not Sufficient To Seriously Affect Any of the Candidates. The Vote in City and County Falls About 2,000 Short.

As shown by the vote on delegates to the constitutional convention at the election, Tuesday, the total vote for Marion county was approximately 2,000 votes short. There were 4,046 votes cast in the city and 2,898 votes were cast in the county making a total of 6,944, which with due allowances for those not voting, is about 2,00 short of the usual vote. At the local-option election of 1908 there were 8,669 votes cast, and at that time there was a good showing of the number of voters in the county. The number voting at the election Tuesday is 1, 725 below that of the 1908 local-option vote and 1,167 below that of the recent local-option, election, when the vote cast was 8,111.

Ordinarily, the vote for the county is much higher than that shown in either of the local-option elections.

Several facts regarding the election of Tuesday were brought out when the board of elections went over the vote, Thursday. The entire day was required to thoroughly canvass the votes. No changes were found which seriously affected any candidate, and with the exception of a few changes the vote cast is practically the same as that announced Wednesday.

Plurality of Norris.

Instead of a plurality of 869, C. H. Norris, elected delegate to the constitutional convention, has a plurality of 875. Mr. Norris by the official count had a gain of two votes making a total of 2,846 instead of 2,841. H. R. Snyder had 1971 votes instead of 1975 by the official count, and W. E. Harkness had a gain of four votes making his total 809 instead of 805. Walter J. Robbins, Socialist candidate, had a gain of six votes by the official canvass. He was first announced to have had 748 votes, but by the official count has 754. C. H. Norris has a total of 1,708 votes in the city and 1,138 in the county, while Snyder had 1,007 votes in the city and 964 in the county. Harkness had 501 votes in the city and 305 in the county while Robbins had 535 votes in the city and 219 in the county.

The official changes in the vote on delegates to the constitutional convention were made in First A, where Snyder received thirty-nine instead of thirty-eight votes, and in First B, where he received twenty-five instead of thirty-five votes, and thirty-eight instead of thirty-seven in First C. In Third C, he secured ninety-four instead of ninety-one votes. In the same precinct Norris received 109 votes instead of 107, and in Fourth A had 152 instead of 151 votes. In Second B, Norris received ninety-eight instead of ninety-seven votes and in Second A, 146 instead of 141 votes. In First C, Norris received seventy-seven instead of seventy-six votes and in Tully township he received thirty-three instead of thirty-eight votes.

In the city the plurality of Claude D. Walters, Democrat, for mayor, is 245 instead of 242, Don E. J. Brockett, Republican, by the official count, losing three votes. Brockett had seventy-seven votes in First E instead of eighty-one votes. In Third C, he had ninety-nine votes instead of ninety-eight, making his total 1,386 instead of 1,385. Walters' vote of 1,631 remains unchanged.

For president of the council, Earl T. Smart's plurality is 355 instead of 359, Smart having a total vote of 1,725 instead of 1,728 votes, while Rudolph, his opponent, had 1,370 instead of 1,339. Rudolph gained one vote in First E and had fifty-two instead of fifty one votes there. Smart in the same precinct had eighty-eight votes instead of ninety-three, and in Third C, had 138 instead of 136 votes.

The plurality of Harry E. Mason over William J. Fies is 218 instead of 217 by the official count. Mason secured 1,684 votes instead of 1,682 while Fies had a total of 1,466 instead of 1,465 votes.

G. F. Larie by the official count had 180 plurality instead of 176. Larie had a total vote of 1,642 instead of 1,642 votes while Criswell had a total of 1,463 votes instead of 1,466 votes. The principal change there was a loss of five votes by Criswell in Fourth B where he had 108 votes instead of 113. The one change in Larie's vote is in Third C where he had 130 instead of 129 votes.

A Few Changes.

Although there are a few changes in the vote for Fred W. Warner and F. E. Guthery for city solicitor, Warner's plurality remains the same, 371 votes. Guthery had a total vote of 1,351 instead of 1,350 while Warner had 1,925 votes instead of 1,924.

The pluralities for the elected councilmen-at-large are as follows: L. E. Nobergall, 477 instead of 476; Joseph Sneckenberger 336 instead of 333 and W. B. Strayer 462 instead of 461. Nobergall had a total vote of 1,717 instead of 1,716 and Sneckenberger had 1,576 instead of 1,573 votes while Strayer had 1,7 2 instead of 1,701 votes. Levi Roseberry, defeated candidate, received 1,092 votes instead of 1,108, he having received eighty-one votes instead of ninety-seven in Second B and ninety-nine votes instead of ninety-eight in the Third C. L. B. DeLauder had 1,189 votes instead of 1,188 votes.

For ward councilmen W. L. Ullom had 300 votes instead of 299 and Harry Krause has a plurality, therefore, of 172 instead of 173. The vote for T. J. Clary and E. E. Blazer remains unchanged. George Smith Republican, in the Third ward, had a plurality of fifteen instead of eight over B. B. Carter, Democrat. Smith had a total vote of 522 instead of 520 votes and Carter had 507 instead of 512 votes. Carter loses five votes in Third C while Smith gained two votes there. In the Fourth ward the vote remains unchanged.

Vote for Justices.

Although there are several changes in the vote for justices of the peace, the pluralities remain the same as first announced. In the totals of the candidates, with the exception of George McKinley, the vote is the same. Mr. McKinley had a total of 1,138 votes instead of 1,136.

One of the interesting contests was that for the four candidates for constable. Joseph Long had a plurality of three instead of four in the official count and James Ullom had a plurality of forty, instead of forty-five votes. There are no changes in Long's vote, but in that of Benjamin Bigford one vote was added in First E, where Bigford had eighty-five instead of eighty-four votes, making his total 1,715 instead of 1,712. J. D. Schickedantz had a total vote of 1,257.

On the board of education there were several changes. Mrs. Anna B. Whiting had a plurality of 946 instead of 953 votes, although there are no changes in her vote. Mrs. Jeannette Lammers Hutchinson had a plurality of 856 votes instead of 863 and there are no changes in her vote. George Sauer received 1,601 votes instead of 1,598 and has a plurality of 359 instead of 363. George H. Dutton received 1,914 votes instead of 1,916, and A. M. Lawson received 1,242 votes instead of 1,235.

Township Trustees.

There are no changes in the vote for township trustees. I. E. Osburn, Republican, has a plurality of 409, for township clerk instead of 412. C. E. Gilbert his opponent received 1,149 votes instead of 1,146.

Dr. C. P. Gailey received 1,713 votes as a Democrat instead of 1 695 and 1,608 votes as a Republican instead of 1,622. His plurality over himself is therefore 105 votes.

Fred Warner, Republican, received two votes for city solicitor on the Socialist ticket. There was no candidate for that office on the Socialist ticket. These votes were cast in Second B and Third A.

The first precinct to report to the board was Third E.

Member George B. Knapp called to the attention of the board the fact that O. S. Falley a candidate for assessor in Third A on the Democratic ticket who received sixty-six votes could not be located. Falley's name was placed on the ballot at the time of the primary election and at the election he received the number of votes named. He was defeated by John Vestal, Republican, who received 134 votes. Falley is unknown in the vicinity.

WILLIAM H. GREEN DIES FRIDAY MORNING

Death Comes After an Illness of Two Weeks.

William Harrison Green died at his home at No. 312 west Columbia street, at 1 o'clock Friday morning. Mr. Green became ill of a complication of diseases about two weeks ago and Thursday night suffered a hemorrhage from which he died very suddenly.

Mr. Green was born in Columbus December 12, 1837, and was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Green. He came to this county twelve years ago and until a year ago followed the carpenter trade. Mr. Green is survived by his widow; one daughter, Mrs. A. T. Weaver of Chestnut street, a sister, Mrs. A. J. Walton, of Dennison, Texas, and a brother, Nathaniel Green, of this city.

The deceased was a veteran of the civil war and served as a first sergeant in I Company, Fifty-Sixth regiment, I. V. I. He was confined in Andersonville prison for three months.

The funeral was held Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the late residence, Rev. J. Miles, of the United Brethren church, officiating. Burial was made in the Scott Town cemetery.

QUIETLY MARRIED AT HENSLEY HOME

Miss Nona M. Dickeson, and Mr. Ernest W. Black.

Miss Nona M. Dickeson, daughter of Mr. Silas Dickeson, of Agosta, and Mr. Ernest W. Black, son of Mr. David Black, of Agosta, were quietly married by Rev. J. L. Hensley, at his home on Cherry street, Thursday evening at 8:30 o'clock. They were accompanied by a number of their young friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Black have many friends in the vicinity in which they reside. They will make their home on a farm near Agosta.

Case Is Settled.

The case in the federal court at Toledo against S. N. Abel and C. N. Coomod, charged with selling liquor without a government license, has been settled without coming to a hearing.

AN AUTOMOBILE TURNS TURTLE SOUTH OF CITY

P. M. Snyder and Son Are Caught Under the Car.

YOUNG RONALD SNYDER HAS LEFT LEG BROKEN

Is Also Badly Injured Otherwise. Mr. Snyder Suffers a Wounded Instep—Driver Is Proceeding Very Carefully When the Car Skids into Ditch and Turns Over.

P. M. Snyder and his son, Ronald, aged sixteen, of Mt. Hope, West Virginia, were confined at the Marion City hospital as a result of injuries sustained by their automobile turning turtle at the south line of the cemetery, on the Delaware pike, Thursday afternoon, November 9. Both victims of the accident are congratulating themselves that they escaped as fortunately as they did. Mr. Snyder is suffering of a deep cut about two inches long across his left instep, while his son was more unfortunate, having had his left leg broken above the ankle and a bolt run into the leg making a bad wound.

J. H. Grubb, of Thurmond, West Virginia, and J. T. Thompson, of Mt. Hope, West Virginia, were driving a Reo car a distance ahead of Mr. Snyder and his son. The touring parties were driving home from Cleveland where Mr. Snyder had traded his old automobile for a rebuilt Peerless car. The Reo car had previously skidded into a ditch and owing to the roads being bad they were exercising the utmost care and were driving at a rate of less than fifteen miles an hour when the accident ocurred.

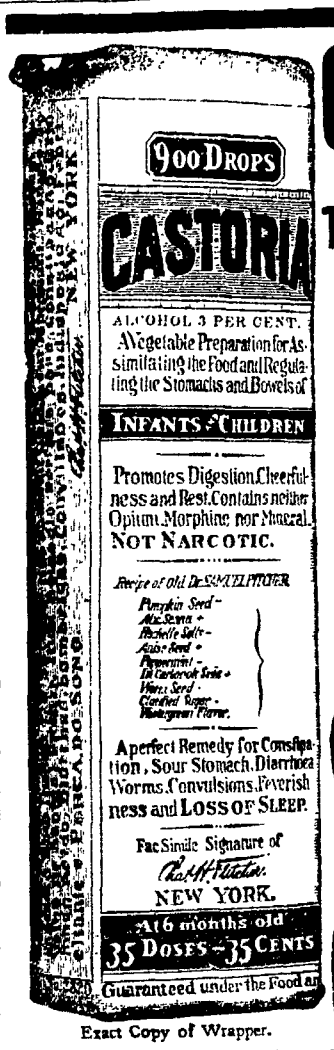
Mr. Snyder was driving his car and his son was in the front seat with him. At the place of the accident the road was muddy on one side and the auto skidded to the left and turned completely over, going down a four foot bank. Both Mr. Snyder and his son were pinned under the car, which weighs about 3,500 pounds, but much of the weight was taken off them by the top. Mr. Snyder cried for help, but his cries were not heard. Determined to release himself and his son from the position, he twisted and pulled his leg with sufficient force to draw it from under the wind shield, where it was fastened. He then extricated his son, whose left leg was thrown back and pinned down by one of the rods of the top.

Mr. Snyder was able to travel to a nearby telephone and called the Hess & Markert ambulance. The two injured men were taken to the Marion City hospital where their injuries were given the necessary attention. The other members of the party who were in the Reo car, went some distance and waited on the Snyders. When the latter did not show up in a reasonable time they returned to Marion and learned of the accident. The automobile was straightened up and driven back to the city. Except the wind shield and top being slightly damaged, the automobile was in perfect condition.

Affair in Country.

In the honor of their marriage which was celebrated, October 24, about 100 of the neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Fisher gave them a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. Fisher's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Fisher, four miles east of the city, Friday evening. The time was given to various games and contests. Mr. and Mrs. Fisher were very nicely remembered.

The crop of fools isn't governed by the law of supply and demand.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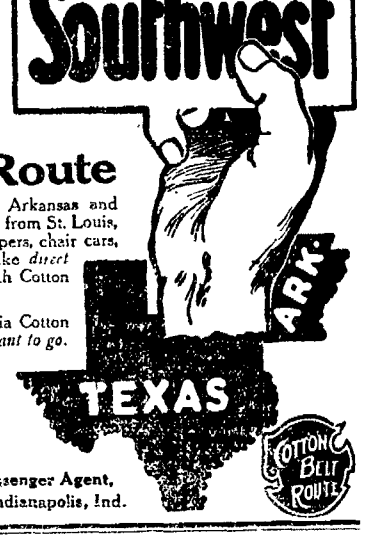

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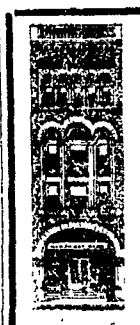

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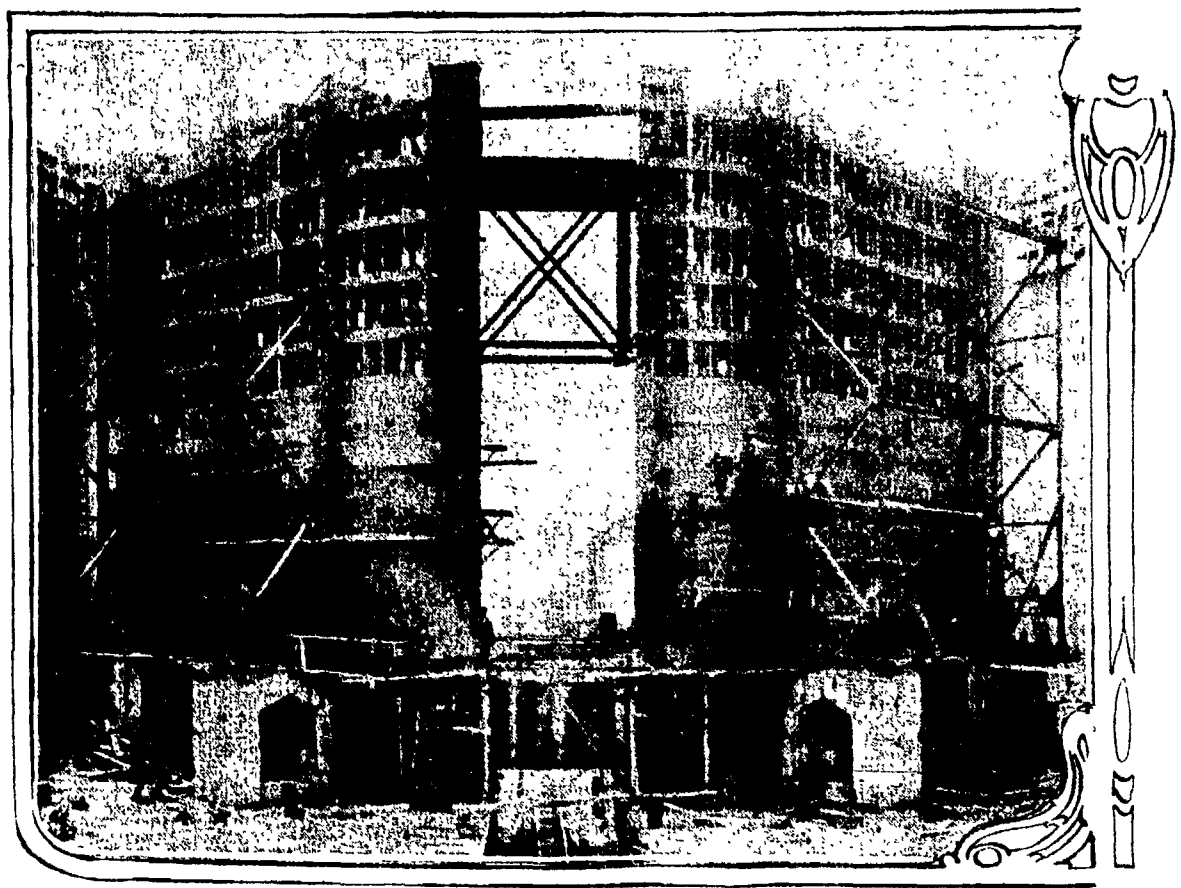
MONSTER LOCKS BUILDING FOR PANAMA CANAL---LATEST PHOTOGRAPH OF GIGANTIC UNDERTAKING



GATUN UPPER LOCKS, LOOKING NORTH, SHOWING PROGRESS OF CONSTRUCTION OF UPPER GUARD GATES IN THE EAST CHAMBER

The above photograph shows a portion of the Panama Canal in construction and gives a very fair idea of the progress made in building the monster locks. Congress has already provided $293,561,486 for this gigantic undertaking. The total appropriations made by Congress leave $81,439,514 of the estimated cost of the canal yet to be appropriated.

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BASKET BALL TEAM IS UNDER SUSPENSION

Denied the Privilege of Y. M. C. A. Building.

AN INVESTIGATION AS TO THE OFFENDERS

Some Pranks Played at the Building Get the Young Men into Trouble. Secretary L. A. Kauffman Very Indignant—A Search for Real Offenders.

At a monthly meting of the trustees of the Y. M. C. A. held at the association building, Tuesday evening, all of the twelve candidates for the High school basket-ball team were suspended from the privilege of the association pending further investigation. The action of the trustees was the result of a bit of rowdyism, and some tricks played by several of the boys, Monday evening, and until the matter is sifted to the bottom and the real offenders found, the innocent will have to suffer with the guilty.

Monday evening, the boys practiced in the gymnasium to get in readiness for their opening game of the season's schedule. They went to the basement to change clothes after practice, and some dressed and left before the pranks were committed.

Henry Strelitz, who was exercising the gymnasium, left his clothes in the basement, together with those of Dr. H. S. Rhu and A. J. Whiting. The boys threw Mr. Strelitz's socks into the swimming pool, and as a result he was compelled to travel home in the cold without socks. They tied some of the wearing apparel of Dr. Rhu and filled the trousers with wet towels, while they filled Mr. Whiting's shoes with water.

Secretary L. A. Kaufman was very indignant over the actions of the boys. He was surprised that boys of High school age would do such a thing. He spent most of Tuesday trying to get to the bottom of the matter and learn the names of the boys who committed the pranks, but the boys seemed to hold together, and those who know the perpetrators threw little light on the matter. However, Secretary Kaufman is certain that but three boys had a hand in the trouble and believes he knows two of them.

The High school team has arranged its schedule for the winter, and some of the innocent players declare that unless the boys are able to practice in the gymnasium, they will not be in shape to play and the games will have to be cancelled. During the suspension of the boys the trustees have given the High school girls' team the use of the gymnasium.

The next regular meeting of the board will be held the second Tuesday in December, and unless a special meeting is held to raise the temporary suspension of the boys, they will be deprived of the use of the association building until that time.

The improvements which are now being made at the Y. M. C. A. were discussed at the meeting. The contract for putting in the hardwood floors was let to the Marion Lumber company. Beverly & Schneider received the contract for furnishing the steel ceiling. The cantract for the plastering was awarded to George W. Smith, while W. W. Woodruff was the best bidder for the painting and decorating.

MARTEL HAPPENINGS OF PAST FEW DAYS

People Visiting at Village and in the Vicinity.

Martel, O., Nov. 16.—[Special.]—Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spurlock entertained Sunday, at dinner, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Crissinger and children, Donald and Elizabeth, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Garver and son, Chester.

Mrs. J. H. Wilkins, of Mingo, was the guest of her son, Wilfred, Saturday and Sunday.

Rev. Mr. Riggs, of Iberia, is now conducting revival meetings at the Sixteen church, one mile north of here.

William Rutherford and John Shomaker returned home last week, after a two-weeks visit in Michigan.

Mrs. Maud Cyphers was a Galion visitor Saturday.

Mrs. James Williams and son, Jimmy, of Sidney, are the guests of relatives here this week.

Mrs. J. A. Laipply and son, Warren, are the guests of relatives at Lykens this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Jacoby were Galion visitors Saturday.

Burt Hesseltin and Miss Bessie Roesch, of Kansas, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bending and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Baldinger were Marion visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rutherford and daughter, Majorie, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long, of Denmark, this week.

Mrs. Hollingsworth, of Climax, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bending, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alcade Williams and son, Robert, entertained Wednesday evening Miss Irene Hiatte, of Winchester, Indiana; Mrs. Mayme Williams and son, Jimmy, of Sidney Miss Edith Sharrock, Miss Lolo Lindsey and Mr. W. O. Wilkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Seckel and daughter, Evelyn, of Caledonia, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Lindsy and family this week.

Ward Pace and Chester Garver were Marion visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Alcade Williams was a Caledonia visitor last week.

Miss Lulu Markey was a Galion visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Sharrock were the guests of their son, Forest, and family, of Galion, Saturday.

Charles Trevz was a Galion visitor Saturday.

Mrs. W. Hipshire, of Caledonia, was the guest of Mrs. J. E. Cyphers, Wednesday.

Harry Lewis, of Mt. Gilead, is the guest of relatives and friends here this week.

Mrs. John Neff and daughter, Lena, were Galion visitors Saturday.

Miss Austa Burkhart was the guest of her parents at Iberia, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Jessie Longacre, of Caledonia, was the guest of Miss Minnie Rosen last week.

Mrs. John Rosen is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Longacre, of Caledonia, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rorick and family entertained at dinner, Sunday, Miss Jessie Longacre, of Caledonia, Miss Minnie Rosen, Mrs. Nettie Marquet and family, Messrs George Rutherford and Mr. Emerson Rorick.

REV. ALBION H. ROSS ACCEPTS THE CALL

Will Become Rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church.

Rev. Albion H. Ross, of Ashland, Wisconsin, who was recently chosen rector of the St. Paul's Episcopal church in this city, has accepted the call here, according to word received Wednesday. It is expected he'll come here at the earliest possible date, and will take up his work with the local church about the first of the year. Rev. Mr. Ross is regarded as one of the most able ministers of the church and his acceptance of the call is pleasing news to the members of the church. He was sent to Marion some time since by Bishop W. A. Leonard and was heard by a representative congregation at that time. He greatly pleased, and his election as rector soon followed. He will succeed Rev. Richard McClellan Brown. Since the resignation of Mr. Brown, Rev. Charles P. Burgoon, a student at Gambier, has filled the vacancy.

JAMES SHEA REPORTS ROBBERY TO OFFICERS

Says He Is Held Up at a Point on Mill Street.

COAT THROWN OVER HEAD BY ROBBERS

Shea Gives the Names of Alleged Highwaymen and They Are Arrested Five Minutes After the Robbery—Some Police Notes Gathered About the City.

Shortly after 10 o'clock Tuesday night, James Shea reported to Officer Shrock that he had been held up and robbed by Joseph Martin, Micheal Shea and Harry Roof, and relieved of a five-dollar bill. Shea claimed that through the influence of Martin, he cashed a check for seven dollars. He had spent nearly two dollars and placed a five-dollar bill in his right front trousers pocket.

The complainant was with Martin, and they decided to make a trip to the West End. Shea wanted to take the Center street route, but says Martin induced him to go by way of Mill street. On reaching the alley between Oak and Prospects, Shea says two fellows jumped out of the alley and threw a coat over him and rifled the pocket which contained the five-dollar bill. This was the only pocket they went through and Shea was positive that Martin was the only one who knew where he had the bill. After Shea removed the coat from over his head, he says he saw Martin and the other two follows running down the alley.

Officer Shock reported the hold-up to Acting Captain Thompson and Officers Slagle and Powell, who were at the corner of Main and Mill streets. It was just about five minutes after the hold-up when Martin, Michael Shea and Harry Roof came down Mill street from the direction of the hold-up and they were arrested by the officers. James Shea, the victim, was later arrested for intoxication and to be held as a witness. When searched at the prison, Martin was in possession of a five-dollar bill, which he had concealed in one of his socks.

Kay Seligman, who filed affidavits in the mayor's court, about two months ago, charging Ernest R. Harvey and William H. Proper with furnishing and giving away intoxicants in violation of the local-option laws, withdrew the charges he filed and paid the costs in the case.

THE RAILROADS.

A bad wreck occurred on the Erie at Alger, early Sunday morning, as a result of which Robert Ramsey, who was on a poultry car is dead, several cars are badly damaged and the tracks are badly torn up. The wreck occurred at the Erie crossover. No. 72, an eastbound freight left the tracks and plunged into an extra on a siding. The engineers and firemen on the trains escaped injury by jumping. Considerable delay to traffic was caused. C. V. Schoonmaker, of this city, was the conductor on No. 72, but was uninjured.

Even in the darkest hour there are only sixty minutes.

CAPTAIN BOND WILL BE GIVEN A HEARING

Civil Service Commission Remands the Case.

HEARING OF MATTER TUESDAY EVENING

Captain Bond and His Attorneys Appear Before Commission with an Appeal That the Witnesses for Bond Shall Be Heard—List of Witnesses Furnished Director.

The council chamber was well filled, Tuesday evening, when Captain A. L. Bond, indefinitely suspended by Safety Director J. A. Knapp, was to have had a hearing before the civil service commission, composed of N. E. Arnold, W. T. Jones and Lenox Reber. At the request of N. E. Arnold, the president, Chief Klinefelter called for order.

Captain Bond was present with his attorneys, Mouser & Moloney and Eymon & Thompson.

President Arnold stated that there was no attorney to look after the prosecution, that during the afternoon he had communicated with the city solicitor relative to handling the case, but the city solicitor politely declined to take any hand in the matter, feeling that he was a city employe and was as much Bond's attorney as attorney for the prosecution.

Mr. Arnold sought some information as to how to proceed, and made the request that the attorneys for Bond take no advantage of the court. Attorney J. W. Thompson assured the members of the commission that they would take no advantage, and that the intention was to put the case clearly before the commission with a view to vindicating Bond of the charges of neglect of duty, for which Bond had been indefinitely suspended by the safety director, without proper hearing.

Evidence Submitted.

All of the evidence against Bond was submitted to the commission in writing, and was looked over by the attorneys for the suspended captain.

Attorney G. E. Mouser said that Captain Bond was entitled to a hearing within five days, and that it would have been only fair and just for him to have been given an opportunity to give his side of the case before the safety director, and be present when the witnesses testified against him that he might cross examine his accusers. Attorney Mouser stated that Bond had been given no chance whatever, and that the action against Bond, outside of the five days' suspension imposed on him by Chief Klinefelter was illegal.

"We come here on appeal to ask you to reverse the judgment of Mr. Knapp, because Captain Bond had no chance before him. He ought to know himself that Bond did not have a square deal," stated Attorney Mouser.

"Mr. Bond gave the safety director the names of three witnesses, but none of them were called to testify by Mr. Knapp, and, as far as is known, he lost the names of the witnesses. We now appeal from the unjust and illegal finding of the director of public safety and ask that he be vindicated and restored to his position. We believe that if Mr. Knapp wants to hear the case we can convince him that his action was unjust and have him reverse his decision. That he only took the word of a few men in a fever heat over the wet-or-dry election, and that Bond had no chance to put up a defense."

Chance for Defense.

Attorney Thompson stated that some of the questions in the depositions were of the "suppose" order, and that it would be only fair if the witnesses were brought into court to testify against Bond, and thereby give the defense a chance to ask them some questions.

Continuing Thompson stated that the interrogator whoever may have acted in that capacity, seemed to have a motive, and that but one side was heard.

"The action of Rev. Mr. Weatherwax in asking Captain Bond to take the steps and address the crowd was absurd. The captain is not a public speaker and was not mixing in the crowd that was causing the disturbance," said Attorney Thompson.

Attorney Eymon stated that the defendant was appearing before the commission on appeal, and that it was up to the safety director to show charges and furnish the proof, or vindicate the suspended captain.

After hearing the expressions of the attorneys, President Arnold stated that the court had decided to remand the case back to the safety director, where Bond could have a chance to furnish proof and present his side of the case, and that the commission would adjourn until Saturday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

Attorney Eymon asked Safety Director Knapp why he did not call the witnesses whose names were furnished him by Bond. The safety director replied by saying that he could never find Bond and that he followed instructions as he was advised. Captain Bond then gave the safety director the names of seventeen witnesses and they will be called before the safety director to testify in Bond's behalf.

Problem for Director.

In an interview with Safety Director James A. Knapp, Wednesday, the director stated that he expected in spite of other pressing business, to give the matter a formal hearing in the council chamber Wednesday afternoon.

Speaking of legal counsel in the matter, the director said that in view of the attitude taken by City Solicitor Elmer T. Boyd, he was in doubt as to how to proceed and has not counseled with an attorney. There is no money in the treasury with which to employ an attorney, and the director stated that he did not feel like paying attorney fees out of his own pocket. Therefore he is puzzled as to how to proceed.

At the hearing preceding the indefinite suspension of Captain Bond, five affidavits were at hand against the captain and the statement of the captain was received. The affidavits which were those read by the attorneys for Bond Tuesday evening, were those of Rev. E. L. Weatherwax, Clyde Smith, Rollin Fox, George Parks and W. E. Morrow. These affidavits will not be used, but the parties making them will be examined orally, giving the attorneys of Bond a chance to cross-examine.

Bond has submitted a list of seventeen witnesses, and they, also will be examined.

Y. M. C. A. WILL WAGE RELIGIOUS CAMPAIGN

For the Men and Boys of the City of Marion.

A PERIOD OF THREE WEEKS TO BE COVERED

Well-Known Evangelist Will Be Here and He Will Be Assisted by a Minister of the Far Northwest and a Splendid Vocalist of Chicago—Plan in Outline.

The Y. M. C. A. will conduct a religious campaign in the near future. This was as good as decided at a meeting of the board of trustees held at the association building Tuesday evening.

The plan is to inaugurate a campaign of three weeks, during which time meetings will be held every afternoon and evening at the association auditorium for men and boys. It is further planned to hold noonday meetings at the various manufacturing plants in the city. This part of the plan may nor be carried out, but it is more than possible that it will be.

Evangelist D. A. Hill, of Lancaster, has been secured to lead the work, and he will be assisted by Rev. Jimmie Crooks, of Seattle, Washington, and Jack Berry, of Chicago, a high-class vocalist.

UNCLAIMED MAIL

The following unclaimed mail remains uncalled for at the local postoffice:

Women—Edna Altman, Berdona Amerine, Mrs. V. L. Butricks, Mrs. Thomas Buchanan, Goldie Blours, Mrs. Della Berringer, Mrs. Paul W. Castine, Mrs. Mathew Cole, Mrs. Minnie Covert, Mrs. Elizabeth Corbin, Mrs. Carl Dutton, Mrs. Walter Fisher, Mrs. Minnie Green, Mrs. Minnie Hanos, Mrs. Alice Lewis, Mrs. Oliver Miller, Mrs. Nilis Porter, Maud Perry, Bertha Rice, Mrs. Alfred Shoman, Eva Springer, Emma Vonight, E. Wotress, Mrs S. Yingling.

Men—Mr. Benjamin, William Bostick, Will Bownham, Morton Borton, Henry Darnell, Edward Ermons, Clarence Fields, C. Ford, Frank Guthrie, J. P. Green, Arthur J. Goldsmith, Arley Hoffman, H. T. Ireland, Oscar Kane, Harry Kinsler, A. G. Morris, C. A. Mitchell, Frank Roof, Otto L. Sims, E. Strauss, N. H. Stoner, C. W. Schuffin, Dallas Wagner, Dennis Weckley, A. J. Whitney.

Firms—Manager Star theater, Mr. Dod & Company, Block Paving company.

Foreign—Maksin Gligaro, Carmello Rizzo, Crescenzo Laparta Fu Bartolomeo, Conio Lepre.

Notice—When calling, say that mail was advertised.

M. B. Dickerson, P. M.

BIRTHS.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Downs, Jr. of Fairground street, are the parents of a daughter, born Monday afternoon.

A son was born to Mr and Mrs. Bert Mount, of No. 453 Barcram avenue, Tuesday morning.

IDEAL CONDITIONS FOR OPENING OF SEASON

Sportsmen of the County Are in the Fields.

RABBIT AND QUAIL ARE VERY PLENTIFUL

The Snow Wednesday Made Tracking Easy and the Atmosphere Is Everything To Be Desired for the Working of Bird Dogs—Some Big Kills May Be Expected.

The sportsmen of the county opened the hunting season for rabbit and quail Wednesday under most favorable conditions. The weather was just right for the hunters and at daybreak hundreds were in the fields to enjoy the sport.

The snow was just what the rabbit hunter without a dog wanted for tracking, and the man looking to good work on the part of a bird dog found the atmosphere everything that could be desired. The temperature was low enough to make the birds sit close to the point, and as every hunter knows a damp, heavy air makes work for the pointer and setter easy.

Under the conditions there should be heavy kills of quail and rabbit and the hunter who returns home empty handed, from hunting, will only have his own ignorance of the game to blame. Rabbit and quail are more plentiful this year than in several seasons. The plague that has killed rabbits by the hundreds in other sections has not visited this section according to the observations of those who keep in touch with conditions, and the hatch of quail during the summer was remarkable to say the least. Almost every farm has its coveys, and as food has been plentiful the birds are well conditioned and of proper size to meet the demands of sportsmen who are above the slaughter of under-sized birds or fledglings.

Twenty days are allowed to shoot quail and rabbit this year. The season will close December 4. The section of the state law which protects the fish and game of the state for the years 1911 and 1912 and given the open season for the different varieties is as follows:

Quail, ruffled grouse, November 15 to December 4; woodcock, September 1 to December 4; rail, shore birds, plover, snipe, wild duck, wild goose, swan, coot or mud hen, September 1 to December 31 and March 1 to April 20 inclusive. Pheasants are protected until November 10, 1913. Rabbits, November 15 to December 4 inclusive, with gun only. Squirrel, September to October 20.

The limit is fixed at twelve quail and five squirrel a day and it is unlawful to buy or sell or offer for sale, quail, wild duck or any other game birds or squirrel, whether killed within the state or elsewhere.

All song and other birds are protected, except chicken hawk, blue hawk, copper hawk, sharp skinned hawk, great horned owl, crow and English sparrows, which may be killed at all times.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH SOCIETY

The Bensley Home Is the Scene of a Gathering.

The Young People's society of the United Brethren church met at the home of Minnie and Richard Bensley, of Cherry street, Tuesday evening. Considerable business was given attention.

Charles Williams was elected secretary, succeeding Miss Vesta Williamson. Two contests were enjoyed, Miss Faye Mackey being the winner in one, and Miss Vesta Williamson in the other.

The next meeting will be held the second Tuesday of December with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Booth, of Leader street.

John McKinney Badly Injured.

John McKinney, who is employed by the Big Four company at LaRue, was struck by Erie train, No. 3, at the union station Wednesday just as the train was passing the Union Depot hotel, and offered some severe injuries. The train was slowing down and had it not been for that fact McKinney would doubtless have sustained fatal injuries. McKinney had come to Marion that morning from LaRue and claims to have been at the station awaiting a train to return home. When Erie No. 3 arrived, thinking that it was the train he should board, he got onto the tracks and was struck by the pilot and knocked down. Those who witnessed the accident declare he had a very narrow escape from death. Officer J. M. Cusic, who patrols the West End during the day, took the man in charge and took him to the office of Dr. A. Rhu, where he was given the necessary attention. It was found that he had suffered a fracture of the skull and several cuts and severe bruises about the body. He was able to walk, however, with the officer to the Marion City hospital on Blaine avenue, where he was cared for. It is not believed that his injuries will prove fatal.

PROBATE COURT.

Mrs. Marion Redd, administratrix of the estate of the late James K. Redd, has filed a petition to sell real estate in the probate court.

We have often wondered how many wives Solomon had annexed before discovering that there was nothing new under the sun.

Cold Weather Footwear at the Busy Store.

Felts $2.50 and $3.25.
Socks and Overs $3.25 to $4.00.
Alaskas 99c and $1.25.
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BRANCH POSTOFFICE IN THE WEST END

One Will Probably Be Established in Near Future,

IF PLANS OF WEST END MERCHANTS HOLD

The Station Will Not Be Established for the Delivery of Mail, but for the Sale of Stamps and Money Orders and Possibly for Registered Letters.

Much to the satisfaction of the merchants and many of the interested citizens of West Marion the long-sought station for the sale of stamps and money-orders in that part of the city is practically assured. Postmaster M. B. Dickerson has given his approval of such a station and an inspector will be sent here from the postoffice department shortly to examine the conditions in that part of the city and probably locate the station.

According to the present indications, the station will not be established for the delivery of mail, but only for the sale of the stamps and money-orders and perhaps the handling of registered letters. It will, in all probability, be located in one of the stores in that part of the city.

During the past several years the sale of stamps in West Marion has amounted to many thousands of dollars and the merchants have in many cases been seriously inconvenienced in handling this business.

MATRIMONIAL MIX-UP AT WASHINGTON C. H.

A Singer Is Accused of Perjury by Wife's Father.

Washington C. H., O., Nov. 15.—Billy Fenton, singer in a local theater, is in jail on a charge of perjury, to which that of bigamy may be added. On June 1 Fenton was married to Miss Ethel May Dixon, 20, a school teacher of New Holland. Saturday two women giving their names as Mrs. W. S. Logan and Mrs. Mary Golden of Ashland, Ky., came here in search of Mrs. Logan's husband, who she suspected was singing here under the name of Billy Fenton. Miss Dixon's father caused the arrest of Fenton on a charge of perjury in securing a marriage license under a false name. Later Mrs. Dixon said the whole affair was a joke; that she was Fenton's sister and Mrs. Golden was his half sister. When brought before Mayor Allen as witnesses the women broke down and denied any relationship to Fenton.

COMMON PLEAS COURT.

In the proceeding of the State of Ohio against Harry Armstrong, indicted for burglary and receiving stolen goods on three counts, three motions have been filed by DeGolly & DeGolly the attorneys for the defendant to quash the indictments. The motions set forth that the indictments are defective in a number of ways.

Elmer Johnson has begun a suit for divorce from Daisy Johnson in the court of common pleas. The parties to the suit were married in Columbus, November 6, 1906, and no children have been born of the union. The plaintiff charges his wife with willful neglect of duty and willful absence of more than a year from the home provided for her.

Steadily Improving.

Word received from P. M. Snyder who was injured in an automobile accident on the Delaware pike near the Marion cemetery last week, is to the effect that he is steadily improving at his home in Mt. Hope, West Virginia. Mr. Snyder's son, who was also injured in the accident also is improving.

His Eye is Injured.

Bert Lewis, an employe of the Erie, here, suffered a severe injury to his left eye, Tuesday. A piece of steel penetrated the optic, and surgical attention was required.

ROYAL ARCH MASONS TRANSACT BUSINES

Special Meetings Are To Be Hel in Near Future.

MODERN BROTHERHOOD GETS APPLICATION

Arrangements Are Made for a Soci To Be Held Next Week—Sosnow ski Rebekahs Make First Nomina tion of Officers—Pythians Confe Rank—Lodge Notes.

The members of Marion Chapter No. 62, Royal Arch Masons, held regular meeting. Tuesday evening which was fairly well attended Some matters of regular busines were given attention, Special meet ings were appointed for Novembe 28 and December 5.

Two applications were balloted o at a regular meeting of the Moder Brotherhood Tuesday evening. Ther was a good attendance. Arrange ments were made for a social to b held next Tuesday evening at whic time it is expected that all member will be present as some Grand lodg officers will be in attendance.

Routine business was given atten tion at a meeting of the Red Men Tuesday evening. The next meetin will be held next week.

The first nomination of officers wa held at a largely-attended meetin of Sosnowski Rebekah Lodge. No 164, I. O. O. F., held Tuesday eve ning. At the close of the busines session a social time was enjoyed The next meeting will be held in tw weeks.

The rank of esquire was conferre on two candidates at a meeting o Canby Lodge, No. 51, Knights o Pythias, held Tuesday evening. Th attendance was large and aside fron the routine business arrangement were made for conferring the rank of knight next Tuesday evening.

A regular meeting of Lime City Council, No. 206, Jr. O. U. A. M., wa held, Tuesday evening, with a fai attendance. Arrangements were made for entertaining the past coun cilors of the district here in two weeks. The association of past coun cilors covers the territory of Marion Crawford, Richland and Ashland counties. A class will also be initia ted at that time. The first nomina tion of officers was taken up and routine business was transacted.

MISS THOMPSON AND WILLIAM F. RUTH

Are United in Marriage at the Firs Reformed Parsonage.

Miss Josephine A. Thompson formerly of North Dakota, and Mr William F. Ruth, of No. 424 Mark street, were united in marriage Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock by Rev. F. E. Zechiel at the First Reformed parsonage. They were unattended.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruth will reside in Marion where Mr. Ruth follows his trade of plasterer.

A marriage license has been issued to William M. Seitz and Miss Mazie Ellen Winch. The young people were married by Rev. J. M. Kline, at New Winchester, Thursday.

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OHIO GRANGERS TO INCORPORATE

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GRANGERS ADOPT COOPERATIVE PLAN

They Aim To Save Middleman's Profit.

National Organization in Session in Columbus Has a Three-Cornered Fight on Its Hands Over Basis of Representation — Secretary Freeman, of Ohio, Is Boomed as Successor to Master Bachelder.

Columbus, O., Nov. 16.—At the final session of the Ohio State Grange conservatives succeeded in getting an almost unanimous vote adopting a resolution which provided for incorporation of the order. This means that hereafter if any member of the order, without proper authority, takes it upon himself to express an opinion as representing the ideas of the grange, does or says anything which might be considered as libelous or malicious, the grange will have the law on him. There have been troubles like that in the grange, a recent case involving the initiative and referendum, and at least a fair per cent of the membership would put a stop to it.

The grange will be incorporated as a corporation not for profit. Capitalization and details will be left to a committee composed of L. G. Spencer, Niles; D. E. Dunham, Lebanon; J. S. Brigham, Bowling Green; Master T. C. Laylin, Norwalk, and Eugene Cranz, Ira, secretary of the organization.

Resolutions were adopted providing for the election of a committeeman in each grange who, in conjunction with other grange representatives, will devise a better system looking to more complete co-operation of members in buying and selling. It is the intention of the grangers to buy such things as fertilizer, salt, machinery, etc., by wholesale, thus saving the middleman's profit.

Another resolution adopted at the closing session called upon United States senators to support pending arbitration treaties with foreign nations.

Has Fight on Hands.

Columbus, O., Nov. 16.—That there will be some exciting incidents during the remaining sessions of the National Grange was forecasted when a report of the executive committee relative to the attempted expulsion from the order of George P. Hampton of New York was tabled; when so-called progressive delegates held two secret meetings to lay plans for a fight for a change in the representation scheme of the organization, and when stand-pat delegates postponed appointment of a committee to work in conjunction with a trio suggested by insurgents for the purpose of harmoniously selecting a new national master.

Fourteen Masters Caucus.

Equally as secret as the star chamber sessions of the reactionaries and insurgents was a meeting of 14 masters of as many state granges, who organized a middle-of-the-road group avowedly intent on a back-to-the-grange movement in the organization and the reclaiming of the order from either ultra conservative or ultra radical domination.

Nahum J. Bachelder, national master and former governor of New Hampshire, will not seek the office again. Insurgents, in case a candidate agreeable to all factions can not be selected, probably will push the candidacy of G. B. Horton of Michigan. Stand-patters are one in the choice of Secretary C. M. Freeman, an Ohio granger, for the high office. Members of the middle-of-the-road group say they have no candidate.

REAL ESTATE.

John H. Bain and others to William Tinker, one lot in Marion, $800.

Otis C. Barnhart, by sheriff, to D. R. Crissinger, two lots in Marion, $545.

Maggie Beers and others, by sheriff, to Charles Weir and others, fifty acres in Scott township, $4,000.

Otis C. Barnhart and others, by sheriff, to Otis C. Barnhart, four lots in Marion, $1,317.50.

Maggie Beers to William J. Weir, eighty acres in Scott township, $10,000.

Elisha A. Bishop to Lottie L. Wintermute, part of two lots in Marion, $200.

L. H. DeLauder to Henry E. Groll, part of lot in Marion, $350.

Permealius Free to A. D. Mitchell, lot in Marion, $2,750.

Samuel George to Perry George, lot in Marion, $1,350.

Phebie E. Hendrickson to Sidney H. Hendrickson, lot in Marion, one dollar.

C. S. Lippincott to Harry O. Stoll, lot in Marion, $100.

Margaret P. Linn to Tully township trustees, one-sixth acre in Scott township, $31.

A. D. Mitchell to Christian Zeig, Jr., lot in Marion, $3,500.

Rose J. McCullom to James A. O'Keeffe, part of two lots in Marion $1,500.

Bertha E. McDonald to Patrick Smith, eleven and part acres in Marion, $4,500.

Mariah J. Redding to Fred C. Levien, twenty acres in Big Island, $1,500.

Fred O. Sharp to John F. Dickison, lot in Marion, $900.

William Weir, by sheriff, to Maggie Beers, eighty acres in Scott township, $10,000.

Mary A. Winterholder, by executor, to Nora Lawrence, lot in Marion, $155.

Charles W. Crysler to D. E. Streeter, two lots in LaRue, $900.

C., C. C. & St. L. Railway company to the Standard Oil company, part of an acre in Marion, one dollar.

Emaline Collins to Nancy J. Collins, two lots in Centerville, $75.

The Marion Savings Bank company to Laura A. Kendall, lot in Marion, $170.

MRS. K. A. CAMPBELL DIES THURSDAY

Widow of Prisoner Who Dies of Starvation in Civil War.

Mrs. Keren A. Campbell, widow of the late Samuel J. Campbell, who starved to death in the Andersonville prison during the civil war, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Emma J. Knight, of Davids street, Thursday morning at 2:30 o'clock. She was seventy-five years of age. Her death was caused by a complication of diseases.

Mrs. Campbell is survived by three children, Mrs. Emma J. Knight, Mrs. Rosetta Haney and W. H. Campbell.

BOOTLEGGING CASES IN MAYOR'S COURT

Some Doubt Expressed as to Their Future.

SEVERAL CASES ARE HANGING IN COURT

Trio Charged with Robbing James Shea Is Released Thursday. Shea Refuses To File Affidavits. He Is Fined for Intoxication. Local Police Court Items.

What is to be done regarding the bootlegging cases pending in the mayor's court? This is a question that has been asked at numerous times since the city was voted wet. In reply to this same question, Mayor Seiter says that he does not know when they will be tried and answers to querries in such a manner as to lead to the opinion that most if not all of the cases will never be taken up. Ernest R. Harvey and William H. Proper, the two dry detectives, who swore to the affidavits against the men charged with violating the Rose law, have not been here for more than a month and in the minds of some they will probably not appear to testify against the men.

The bootlegging cases which are pending hearing before the mayor are against S. N. Abel, C. M. Coonrod, John O'Keeffe, James O'Keeffe, Kay Seligman, Miles Anderson, David Washam, Charles Miller, John Walsh and Mrs. Charles Miller. The four latter named parties evaded hearings in the mayor's court by taking French leave, while the others entered pleas of not guilty.

Joseph Martin, Michael Shea and Harry Roof, who were arrested Tuesday night on complaint of James Shea, who claimed they held him up and relieved him of a five-dollar bill, were released from custody Wednesday afternoon. Shea, the complainant, was also taken into custody and held for intoxication and as a witness against the trio accused of robbing him. After sobering up James Shea refused to file affidavits against the trio and said they were not the parties who held him up. Roof was vindicated by Shea soon after being arrested, but because he happened to be with Martin, whom Shea stated was with him when he was robbed, Roof was unjustly accused of being one of the hold-up men. The outcome of the arrests was that James Shea, who made the complaint, drew a fine for intoxication.

YOUNG PEOPLE ARE JOINED IN MARRIAGE

Miss Sabina M. Goerlich and Mr. W. T. Owen.

Miss SabinaM. Goerlich and Mr. W. Truman Owen were united in marriage at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening at the home of Rev. Theodore F. Lagemann, pastor of the circuit of the German M. E. church. The couple were unattended. Both parties are very well known in the city

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Goerlich, residing southeast of the city, and until recently was employed as a school teacher. Mr. Owen is a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Owen, residing three miles southeast of the city. They will make their home on the farm of the groom's father.

Service Is Interrupted.

The Marion Railway, Light & Power company was placed at considerable disadvantage, Wednesday evening, on account of a pole on the transmission line at Delaware catching fire. The local street car and lighting service was out of commission for about fifteen minutes. The necessary repairs were made, and no further difficulty was experienced. The accident occurred in the early evening.

If a man has never been fooled by a woman it's because he isn't worth the effort

RAYMOND DOYLE IS PLEASING CLUB HOST

Twentieth Century Club Enjoys an Evening.

GAMES AND MUSIC OCCUPY THE TIME

Master Howard Underwood Is the Victim of an Accident — Falls While Playing at School and Breaks His Collarbone — Notes Picked Up in Week at Caledonia.

Caledonia, O., Nov. 16.—[Special.]—Raymond Doyle entertained the members of the Twentieth Century club and a number of invited guests at his home on south High street, last Friday evening. Games and music furnished amusement for the party until a late hour. The members of the club present were Robert Miller, Vance Ehlers, Paul Fell, Chelsea Underwood, Orville Landes, Miles Hipsher, Curtis, Raymond and Elvin Pace and Bryan Window. The guests were the Misses Florence Henson, Edith Rose Rice, Irene Rinker, Lenna Thew, Goldeth Highly, Elizabeth Highly, Thelma Miller, Dorothy and Justine Wilson, Ethel May, Harold and Joe Ulsh. Light refreshments were served.

Rev. and Mrs. C. A. Edgington and sons, William and Raphael, left Monday morning in their automobile for a week's visit with relatives in Xenia.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCurdy are entertaining the latter's brother David Wallace, and wife of St. Charles, Iowa, this week.

William Richardson, of Marion, called on old acquaintances at this place, Tuesday.

The Misses Imogene Stone and Bettie Hinds departed, Monday evening, for St. Louis, where they have accepted positions as nurses in a St. Louis hospital.

Little John Thomas, of Columbus is spending the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Anderson.

W. B. Hart of Cleveland is spending the week with relatives here.

Miss Faye Geddis has resumed her work as clerk in Fell & Underwood's store.

Master Howard Underwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Underwood, met with a painful accident at school Friday. He was playing games with his schoolmates druing intermission and was thrown to the ground with such force that his collarbone was broken.

Miss Naomi Pittman spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Marion.

Clare Koch, of Marion, was the guest of his cousin, Rupert Koch, several days last week.

Howard Ward purchased the Ireland property in the west end of town, and will take possession in the spring.

Mrs. James Irwin is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Mary Noble, in Mt. Gilead.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ramer, of Marion, are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Irwin.

The Evelyn Bargelt Concert company is the first number of the lecture course and will appear here, Wednesday evening, November 22.

Mrs. John Rolfe and daughter, Evelyn, are spending the week with the former's parents at Waldo.

Robert George of Angora, Indiana is the guest of his nephew, John George, and wife, this week.

Mrs. Sarah Strawman returned to her home here, Wednesday, after an extended visit with relatives in Marion.

Mrs. Lyons, who has been the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Murrel Waite, for the past week, returned to her home in Fulton, Wednesday

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church will have a line of Japanese fancy articles on sale at their chicken-pie supper, Saturday evening, November 25.

Rev. Robert Fitch arrived the first of the week from Des Moines, Iowa, and will spend the winter with his family at the home of Mrs. Jennie Clark.

OHIO IS GREAT COAL PRODUCER

In 1900 State Produces 34,209,668 Short Tons.

Ohio has produced more coal than any other state except Pennsylvania, Illinois, and West Virginia. Since coal mining began in Ohio in 1838, according to the United States Geological survey, the state has produced 581,189,306 short tons, the figures showing an almost steady increase. In 1850 the production was 640,000 tons; in 1870 it was 2,527,285 tons; in 1890 it was 11,494,506 tons; in 1900 it was 18,988,150 tons; in 1905 it was 25,552,950 tons; and in 1910 it was 34,209,668 short tons.

Court Denies Motion.

New York, Nov. 16.—The United States circuit court today handed down an order denying the motion of Felix H. Levy, attorney for the independent tobacco manufacturers and dealers, asking leave to intervene in the litigation involving the reorganization of the Tobacco trust.

Local-Option Petition.

Logan, O., Nov. 16.—From present indications, Hocking county will vote on the wet and dry issue early in December. A league comprising eighty-five per cent. of the business men of Logan has been organized to promote a local-option election, and petitions are already in circulation.

M. E. AID SOCIETY AT KEALBER HOME

News Notes Gathered at Waldo During Past Week.

Waldo, O., Nov. 16.—[Special.]—The ladies of the M. E. Aid society were entertained at the home of Mrs. Daniel Kealber, east of town Wednesday evening.

The Missionary society of the Reformed church held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Frederick Augenstine, Tuesday afternoon.

The first number on the lecture course will be given next Monday evening at the band hall by the "Musical Favorites."

Superintendent of Schools S. S. Simpson moved his family here from Caledonia, Friday, and is occupying the Peter Cook property on Railroad street.

Mr. and Mrs. Weston Luellen, of Marion, were guests of Waldo friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Baker and children are spending a week in Knox county at the home of Mr. Baker's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rolfe and daughter, Evaline, of Caledonia, are the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Simpson.

Mrs. David Wottring returned to her home at Prospect, Tuesday, after a week spent at the bedside of her aunt, Mrs. Hattie Miles.

Dr. and Mrs. Kellner moved, Thursday, to Ashley, where the doctor will abandon dentistry and be employed in his father's emblem shop this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bland entertained, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Webster Gompf, of Marion, and Mr. and Mrs. John Gompf and family.

Mrs. Jacob Akron was visiting in Marion the past week with friends.

Mrs. A. Whiteman was a Marion visitor Thursday.

William Gabler spent Wednesday at Columbus.

C. E. Morris, Ralph Gabler and D. W. Benedict were Marion visitors Thursday.

Mrs. James Apt has returned home after a three-weeks visit with friends at Mt. Gilead.

Mrs. W. C. Jacobs, of Richwood, was the guests of Dr. and Mrs. B. D. Osborne a couple of days the past week.

Miss Mayme Felty, of Marion, visited from Saturday until Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Selanders.

Mr. and Mrs. George Brocklesby, of Marion, were guests over Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Selanders.

Misses Florence and Grace Stoner were Marion visitors Tuesday.

JOINED IN MARRIAGE AT HOME OF BRIDE

Miss Martha Curtis and Mr. Horace Burns.

Miss Martha Curtis, of Delaware, who, during her frequent visits at the George Krause home on south State street, has won many friends among the younger social set, was united in marriage to Mr. Horace Burns, at her home in Delaware, Wednesday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by a Methodist minister of that city in the presence of over 100 invited guests. A cousin of the bride was maid of honor and six of her sorority friends were bridesmaids. A color scheme of pink and white was carried out in all the decorations.

Mr. and Mrs. Burns, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B. Howser and Miss Marguerite Krause, who were in attendance at the meeting, came to this city over the C., D. & M., Wednesday evening, and from here the bridal couple left over the Erie for a wedding trip in the East.

The young people will make their home in Marietta.

THREE YOUTHS ARE UNDER SUSPENSION

Names of the Guilty Lads Are Made Known.

L. A. Kaufman, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., held a meeting Wednesday evening with the twelve members of the High school basket-ball team suspended by trustees, Tuesday evening, for disorderly conduct and pranks played on several business men who were taking exercises in the gymnasium Monday evening. As a result of the meeting, Secretary Kaufman learned the names of the boys guilty of the misconduct, and nine were reinstated, the three guilty ones remaining under suspension from the building.

The names of the three guilty boys were withheld by the secretary, who believes they will not repeat the offense after being reinstated. As a result the basket-ball team will be able to practice in the gymnasium and the games scheduled will be played, the team not suffering from the loss of the three members now under suspension. The suspension of the three guilty boys is for an indefinite period.

Cancels Hunting Trip.

Berlin, Nov. 16.—Owing to a slight indisposition caused by a cold, Emperor William has canceled his annual hunting trip to Silesia on which he was to have started last night. While there is some anxiety as to his condition, those nearest his majesty declare there is no cause for alarm.

Weds an Heiress.

Philadelphia, Nov. 16. — Miss Marie Louise Elkins, daughter of the late William L. Elkins, Jr., and heiress to $2,000,000 of her father's estate, at noon today became the bride of Christian De Guigne, Jr., of San Francisco, brother of the Viscountess de Tristan.

THE THURSDAY CLUB ENJOYED A MEETING

An Embroidery Club at the Bonner Home.

THE TIME PASSED IN DOING NEEDLEWORK

The Twentieth Century Club Meets with Mrs. J. H. Raub Near LaRue. Many People Visit at Homes at Village and in the Vicinity. LaRue Notes.

LaRue, O., Nov. 16.—[Special.]—The Thursday club met at the home of Mrs. T. J. Crawley west of town, Thursday. The time was spent socially and refreshments were served.

The Ladies' Embroidery club met at the home of Mrs. James Bonner, Friday afternoon. The time was spent in needlework and the hostess served refreshments. Mrs. John Bonner was the only guest.

H. P. Baker and son, A. J. Baker, of Marion, spent a few days of this week at the A. J. Jones home.

Mrs. Joseph Carey, of Marion, visited at Frank Carey's home Friday of last week.

Mrs. Bailey Van Meter and Mrs. J. W. Burtsfield, of Marion, attended the funeral of Mrs. Sarah Stiverson, Friday.

Mrs. James Bentley, of Ashtabula, visited friends and relatives west of town, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. M. A. Pickering and children, Lloyd, Iris and Bernice, of Marion, visited at the Stephen Smiley home Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. I. S. Guthery, of south of town, visited from Friday until Monday in Cleveland, as the guest of her son, Damon, who is in school there.

Mrs. J. K. Peters, of Marion, spent Thursday and Friday here visiting friends.

Howard Guthery, of Marion, spent Friday and Saturday as the guest of Master William Guthery, south of town.

Mrs. Allen Emptidge and Miss Ruth McElroy of Marysville, visited friends and relatives in Shelby the latter part of this week.

Mrs. Mary Rogers, Miss Neva Johnson and Miss Georgia Jeffiries were Marion visitors Monday.

Mrs. Morris Clements, of Richwood spent Sunday here as the guest of Mrs. Sarah Henderson.

Mrs. Laura Raub, Mrs. Mattie Terry and Mrs. John Alt attended the Foreign and Home Missionary societies' meeting in the Presbyterian church in Marion last week.

Mrs. Jeremiah Jones was the guest of her daughter, Flora, who is attending school in Wooster, from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Carl Smith visited her parents in Green Camp Saturday and Sunday.

George Rosebrook was in Marion, Saturday, attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. David Trihft and daughters, Ivah and Ollie, were Marion visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Lydia Louvisi and daughter, Vera, were guests at the Carl Meyer and R. G. Prettyman homes in Marion over Sunday.

Mrs. Lon. Aller and daughter, Ruth, spent Saturday in Marion as guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Case.

Mrs. George Manley and daughter, Zelda, were Marion visitors Thursday.

Mrs. David Clarke and daughter, Amelia, were Agosta callers Tuesday.

Miss Burdetta Thomasson was a Marion visitor Monday.

Donald Lingo was in Lorain and Cleveland from Friday until Monday, attending to business.

Mrs. John Landgrabe was in Delaware the latter part of the week visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Codding, of Cleveland, visited old friends here this week.

Howard Barker spent Friday as the guest of his parents at Magnetic Springs.

Mrs. Warren Baker, of Agosta, spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Albert.

Miss Myrtle Wilson was the guest of Miss Ellen Carter, of Marion, Sunday.

Miss Aza Lingo was the guest of Marion friends Wednesday.

James Phillips, of Marion, is spending a few days with friends north of town.

Wilbur Markwith, who has been very ill of throat trouble, is now able to attend school.

Henry Raub, of south of town, started for Arkansas last week to look after some business affairs.

The Twentieth Century club was entertained at the home of Mrs. J. H. Raub, south of town, last Tuesday. The theme was "Cultivation to the Mind is as Necessary as Food is to the Body."

The Knights of Pythias lodge entertained at a dance Wednesday evening of this week in the hall, it being the second of a series of programs to be given throughout the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bailey, who were recently married in Marysville, returned home Monday. The groom is a prominent young man and is employed as a blacksmith at the LaRue Carriage works. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Inskeep, of Essex. They are at home to their many friends.

Thaw Studies Law.

Matteawan, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Hoping to find some way to obtain his freedom, Harry K. Thaw is studying law. He hopes to pass a law examination to prove he is no paranoiac

GRANGERS KEEP OUT OF POLITICS

They Table Resolution Relating to Initiative and Referendum.

Columbus, O., Nov. 15.—Members of the Ohio State Grange took an indirect slap at the initiative and referendum when they tabled a resolution bearing on the subject. The grange committee failed to report on one resolution favoring the initiative and referendum, and in submitting one in opposition made no recommendation, but expressed antagonism to direct legislation. "Keep out of politics," warned one granger, and others took up the cry. Opinion was widely divided on the question.

Resolutions adopted declared for an extended parcels post, woman's suffrage, pure seed laws, standardizing cream and ice cream, a law making the standard weight for a bushel of potatoes 56 instead of 60 pounds and for apples 48 instead of 50, extension of the postal savings bank system to fourth-class postoffices, exemption of mortgaged real estate from taxation and against the licensing of the liquor traffic and the present system of dairy inspection. The latter resolution stated that many municipal dairy inspectors and politicians are not experts, consequently not capable of performing their duties properly.

EXPENSE INCURRED BY THE CANDIDATES

Accounts Are Filed with Board of Elections.

MANY CANDIDATES REPORT NO EXPENSE

Charles W. Haberman, the Democratic Candidate for Justice of the Peace, Spends $85.95 in Securing the Office—What the Wets and Drys Spend in Campaigning.

That the expense incured by the various candidates in the recent municipal election was not large is shown in the expense accounts filed with the board of elections. In many cases the accounts show no expenses and no receipts and the highest expense incurred so far by any candidate is that of Charles W. Haberman, Democratic candidate for justice of the peace, whose account is $85.95. The account show no receipts.

Saturday will be the last day for filing the expense accounts with the board and it is expected that those still out will come in this evening and Saturday. A large part of the accounts have already been filed. Those of nearly all the assessors have been filed and it is shown in nearly all cases that the candidates incurred practically no expense.

The expense of the wet-or-dry election is also shown in the accounts of the Marion Civic league and the Marion Law & Order league. The wets expended $1,489.75 and their receipts amounted to $1,662. The drys expended a total of $1,641.50 and their receipts amounted to $1,115.65.

The report in the various townships are in few cases already filed with the board. One of the interesting accounts is that of W. H. DeRoche, elected mayor of Morral and justice of the peace of Salt Rock township, who had no receipts and made no expenditures.

Total Expense Accounts.

The following list shows the total expense accounts of the various candidates so far filing their accounts. None of them show any receipts.

C. W. Criswell, Democratic candidate for city treasurer, $6.50; Caleb H. Norris, candidate for delegate to the constitutional convention, no expense; H. R. Snyder, candidate for delegate to the constitutional convention, $33; George L. Sauer, candidate for member of the board of education, four dollars; Charles S. Gardner, Prohibition candidate for justice of the peace, no expense; T. J. Clary, Democratic candidate for council in the Second ward, no expense; M. A. Pickering, candidate for member of the board of education, five dollars; Charles W. Haberman, Democratic candidate for justice of the peace, $85.95; B. B. Carter, Democratic candidate for councilman in the Third ward, four dollars; Mrs. A. M. Hutchinson, candidate for member of the board of education, no expense; W. B. Strayer Republican candidate for councilman-at-large, six dollars; S. N. Titus, Republican candidate for township trustee, five dollars; W. D. Whipps, Democratic candidate for township trustee, five dollars; J. J. Crawley, Republican candidate for justice of the peace, $20.50; Harry E. Mason, Republican candidate for city auditor, $26.50; Andrew J. Sautter, Democratic candidate for councilman in Fourth ward, $11.82; Charles E. Gompf, Democratic candidate for justice of the peace, $22.70; J. F. Ullom, Democratic candidate for constable, $2.50; G. F. Larie, Republican candidate for city treasurer, $17.40; Claude D. Walters, Democratic candidate for mayor, $26.50; Fred W. Warner, Republican candidate for city solicitor, $31.50; W. J. Robbins, Socialist candidate for delegate to the constitutional convention, forty cents; L. E. Nebergall, Republican candidate for councilman-at-lage, $7.75; F. E. Guthery, Democratic candidate for city solicitor, $33.

How we enjoy meeting a man who talks only when he has something to say!

THE MARKETS.

CLEVELAND.

Cleveland, Nov. 16.—Hogs, 8,500; 5c higher; mediums and heavies 6.60; yorkers 6.35; lights 6; pigs 5.75.

Cattle—10 cars; 10c lower.

Sheep and lambs—25 cars; 5.25 top.

Calves—300; 9 top.

UNION STOCK YARDS.

Union Stock Yards, Nov. 16.—Receipts 29,000; market slow and steady; mixed and butchers 6.10@6.65; good heavy 6.30@6.67; rough heavy 6.10@6.30; light 5.90@6.55; pigs 4.25@5.90.

Cattle—Receipts 10,000; market dull; beeves 4.50@9.10; cows and heifers 1.90@5.75; stockers and feeders 2.90@5.75; Texans 4@5.90; calves 5.50@8.25.

Sheep—Receipts 28,000; market steady; native 2.50@3.75; western 2.65@3.70; lambs, native, 3.75@5.85; western 3.75@5.75.

EAST BUFFALO.

East Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Cattle—Receipts 200 head; market dull, steady; prime steers 7.30@7.75; butcher grades 3@7.

Calves—Receipts 150 head; market active, steady; cull to choice 5@9.50.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 16,000 head; market slow; choice lambs 5.50@5.60; cull to fair 4.25@5.25; yearlings 3.75@4; sheep 2@3.65.

Hogs—Receipts 5,100; market active; yorkers 6.50@6.70; pigs 6@6.10; mixed 6.70@6.75; heavy 6.80@6.85; roughs 5.50@6; stags 5@5.25.

ST. LOUIS WOOL.

St. Louis, Nov. 15.—Wool steady; medium grades, combing and clothing 20½@21c; light fine 15@19c; heavy fine 13@15c; tub washed 27@30c.

PITTSBURGH.

Pittsburgh, Nov. 16.—Cattle—Receipts light; market steady; choice 7.50@7.75; prime 6.25@6.65; common 4.75@5.60; veal calves 8.50@9.

Sheep and lambs—Receipts 10 doubledecks; market slow; prime wethers 3.60@3.75; good mixed 3.20@3.50; fair mixed 2.50@3; lambs 2@4; spring lambs 3.50@5.50.

Hogs—Receipts 20 doubledecks; market steady; prime heavy hogs 6.65@6.70; mediums 6.55@6.60; heavy yorkers 6.55@6.60; light yorkers 6.15@6.25; pigs 5.75@6.60; roughs 5.50@6; stags 5@5.25.

TOLEDO.

Toledo, Nov. 16.—Wheat—Cash 97¼; December 97½; May 1.02¼; July 96¾.

Corn—Cash, old, 75½; new, 66; December 65⅝; May 66½; July 66¾.

Oats—Cash 50; December 50¾; May 52¾; July 48¼.

Rye—Cash 94.

Cloverseed—Cash 12.40; December 12.42½; March 12.47½; No. 2, 12.05; No. 3, 11.80; rejected 11.62½.

Alsike—Prime 10.80; December 10.85; March 11.02½.

Timothy—Prime 7.45; December 7.47½; March 7.57½.

Butter, eggs and hay, unchanged.

CHICAGO.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—Opening—Wheat—December up ⅛; May up ¼. Corn—December and May unchanged. Oats—December down ⅛; May unchanged. Provisions lower.

Noon—Wheat—December up ⅝; May up ¼. Corn—December and May up ¾. Oats—December up ⅝; May up ¼.

Close — Wheat—December up ½; May up ¼. Corn—December and May up ⅝. Oats—December and May up ¼. Provisions higher.

The following quotations show the opening, high, low and closing markets in the order named of the various products:

Wheat—December, 94⅛, 95, 93⅞, 94⅝; May, 1.00⅛, 1.00½, 99⅞, 1.00⅝.

Corn—December, 63½, 64⅜, 63½, 64¼; May, 64½, 65¼, 64½, 65¼.

Oats—December, 47¼, 47⅝, 47¼, 47½; May, 49⅞, 50¼, 49⅞, 50⅛.

Pork—January, 16.30, 16.57, 16.30, 16.57; May, 16.72, 16.97, 16.70, 16.97.

Lard—January, 9.30, 9.42, 9.27, 9.40; May, 9.55, 9.65, 9.50, 9.65.

Ribs—January, 8.42, 8.62, 8.42, 8.62; May, 8.60, 8.77, 8.60, 8.77.

CHICAGO DAIRY.

Chicago, Nov. 16.—Butter—Extras 32; firsts 28; dairy extras 26; firsts 23.

Eggs—Prime firsts 26@28; firsts 25.

Cheese—Twins 14¾@15; Young Americas 14@14¾.

Live poultry—Fowls 9½@10; ducks 12@12½; geese 10½@11; spring chickens 10@10½; turkeys 15.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Nov. 16.—Flour—Quiet and steady.

Pork—Firm; mess 17@17.25.

Lard—Steady; Middle West spot 9.35@9.45.

Tallow—Easy; city 6⅜; country 6¼@7.

Hay—Firm; prime 1.30; No. 3, 1.00@1.10; clover 1.00@1.22½.

Dressed poultry—Quiet; turkeys 10@23; chickens 7@22; fowls 7@16½; ducks 8@15.

Live poultry—Steady; geese 13; ducks 12@13; fowls 10@11½; turkeys 14@16; roosters 7½; spring chickens 10½@11½.

Butter—Firm; receipts 4,113; creamery extra 33½; state dairy tubs 23@32; imitation creamery firsts 23.

Eggs—Steady; receipts 4,615; nearby white fancy 50@55; nearby mixed fancy 30@37; fresh firsts 31@39.

Bishop Smith Dead.

Philadelphia, Nov. 16.—Bishop Alexander Mackay Smith, head of the Protestant Episcopal diocese of Pennsylvania, died at his home here today of heart disease.

Let any man talk long enough and he will discover a friend's sore spot.

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On Friday & Saturday: an immense advance Sale of our own direct Importations of more than 100 dozens of

Beautiful Undressed Kid-body DOLLS

rushed through from Germany's famous Doll district to Marion to

Sell at Savings of from One Third to nearly a Half

Direct from Germany's own famous Doll district to us—Come the most splendid "Miss Dollies" that emigrate from the Fatherland. Not through a half-dozen different hands, (every one of which exacts a profit), but direct—which brings about almost unbelievable savings for you.

Extra large 50c-size Kid Body Dolls 14½ inches in height—with pretty light and dark hair—eyes which open and close—shoes and stockings—8 dozens to sell tomorrow and Saturday at **25c**

Character BABY Dolls worth 50c—natural as life, jointed baby dolls—also 13-inch patent jointed dolls, with dark and light hair, and sleeping and waking eyes, at only..... **25c**

HANDSOME 79c DOLLS—very large 16-inch, blonde and brunette young ladies—some one hundred of them will be offered tomorrow and Saturday at this wonderful price..... **50c**

$1.25 DOLLS—20 inches high—beautiful features—patent joints long curly hair—for the next two days.... **75c**

89c DOLLS—18-inch "Floradora" dolls—eyes which open and close hip joints—shoes and stockings—at only..... **59c**

$1.50 and $1.75 DOLLS AT $1.00—these very handsome, full-grown young misses (23½ inches tall if you please!) have beautiful hair and sparkling eyes which sleep and wake—kid bodies—patent joints—and dainty shoes and stockings. Then there will be four or five other special dollies on parade tomorrow and Saturday—all of which are the most marvel ous values you've ever beheld at..... **$1.00**

$1.75 DOLLS—dainty, exquisite, 20-inch dolls, with ful hip-and-knee and shoulder-and-elbow joints—and eyelashes—4 dozens of them to go at..... **$1.19**

$2.50 DOLLS—large size, with cork-stuffed kid bodies, full patent jointed, beautiful hair and eyes that open and close—at only **$1.50**

OTHER JUST AS EXTRAORDINARY VALUES in the finest dolls worth from $3 to $6.98 with cork stuffed bodies and natural hair and eyelashes. Special tomorrow and Saturday at $1.98, $2.25, $2.50, $3.50 to $4.50.

In connection with our matchless advance sale of Undressed Dolls we will show all the new foreign importations of Dolls' Gowns, Hats, Underclothes, Furs, etc., for all sized Dolls.

The Uhler-Phillips Co

Soon "Santa's own Toy Shop" will be bright & Ready on our 3d floor.

(See Big Window Display of DOLLS: Center St.)

Furs of Quality **The Hamm-Edwards Co** *Furs of Quality*

Store News for Friday, November 17, 1911.

RICH VELVETEENS AND CORDUROYS.

Fashion favors no material more strongly than Velvets and Corduroys. Those we show are of unusual quality and are in the rich shades of tobacco brown, marine blue, dull green and Burgundy.

Corduroy, as soft as silk velvets, in colors that make it the handsomest dress material, priced **$1.00 yard.**

MEN'S BLANKET ROBES.

To be made up for the holidays. And what comfortable, warm garments they make. Any man would appreciate a lounging-robe for a gift.

Many different designs to choose from and the early purchaser will get the choice. Rich blues and reds, brown and tans and other colors. Prices are—

MEN'S UNDERWEAR SPECIALLY PRICED.

We are selling more men's underwear this year than ever before. The stock is more complete and the prices are reasonable.

Heavy fleece-lined, dark color, shirts and drawers, per suit **90c.**

Royal Plush Underwear—The softest, warmest, most reliable underwear you can buy, $1.50 value, **$1.00 each.**

Wool Underwear in scarlet and natural, best pure, unadulterated wool we can buy, suit **$2.00.**

WARM FLANNELETTE NIGHT GOWNS.

We have never had so many and have never sold so many. Today we can show you seven different styles, regular sizes, colored stripes, **50c, 75c, $1.00.**

MORE NEW WOMEN'S SWEATERS.

Yesterday's express brought us a large re-order of Sweaters. This cold snap reminded many of their need. We can supply all sizes in cardinal, gray and tan, **$2.50 to $5.00.**

AVIATION CAPS.
50c, 75c, $1.00.

A specially good Cap at **50c**, made from heavy yarn. All colors and many styles to choose from.

LADIES' HOME JOURNAL PATTERNS 10c and 15c.

The new Quarterly Style Book with advance spring styles. Book and a pattern, **20c.**

THE LODGES.

Schubert's Concert company, the first number of a series of entertainments to be given under the auspices of Marion Lodge, No. 402, Knights of Pythias, delighted an audience of about 400 persons in the lodge hall Wednesday evening. The company is composed of Miss Mara W. Conover, reader and soprano; Miss Vera Ross Coburn, contralto; James L. Grubb, tenor, and Glenn Wells, baritone and pianist.

The program consisted of thirteen numbers, consisting of readings, monologs, solos, duet and quartet numbers, all being responded to with encores. All of the members of the company are talented artists, possessing rich, clear voices. The solo work in particular was much appreciated by the large audience, while one of the feature numbers of the program was the piano monolog by Mr. Wells. Miss Conover's monolog work was well received, as was also her solo work. Mr. Grubb rendered a beautiful tenor solo, having a voice of volume and very clear. Miss Coburn possesses one of the best contralto voices heard here for some time, while the voices of the four artists in quartet numbers blended perfectly.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Waddell, residing five miles south of the city on the Delaware pike, are the parents of a daughter born Thursday.

A woman's smile seldom means what a man thinks it does.

Cool Weather Specials.

Galvanized Coal Buckets	16-quart 25c; 17-quart 28c
Black Coal Buckets	16-quart 19c; 17-quart 22c
6-inch Stove Pipe	10c joint; 6-inch Elbows 10c each
Canvas Gloves	5c, 8c, 10c a pair
Children's Gloves	10c, 14c, 23c pair
Ladies' Gloves	14c, 19c, 24c pair
Children's Mittens	10c, 14c, 24c pair
Ladies' Mittens	10c, 17c, 23c pair
Boys' Winter Caps	10c and 24c
Men's Winter Caps	19c, 23c, 44c
Men's Warm Lined Gloves	25c, 39c, 44c
Men's Warm Heavy Sweater Coats	48c, 98c each

113 South Main Street. ***B. J. SNOW.*** Successor to W. B. DeVeny

Postal Savings.

Although the postal savings depository has been in existence here less than a month, it is progressing rapidly both in the number of deposits and in the amount deposited. It was stated today that there are forty depositors in the bank and the amount deposited aggregates $2,200.

A Thousand Sweater Coats For Women, Misses' and Children Are Here

We prepared for this phenomenal sweater coat demand last spring. If we had to buy now, our prices would be at least one-fourth to one-third higher.

All kinds of sweaters, plain weaves or novelties galore, solid colors or new combinations, sweater coats vastly different than you'll see elsewhere.

Ask to see this coat. We've sold 350 of them already this fall.

A Pure Worsted Sweater $1.39

A pretty new pattern, knit from pure worsted yarns, just the right length, just the proper fit, sizes for both women and misses. Red, white or gray. It's worth $2.75. Our price **$1.39**.

Other sweater coats for women at $1.98, $2.98 and up to $6.98.

Sweater coats for misses $1.50 to $5.00.

Sweater coats for children $1.00 to $2.98.

300 Hand Crocheted Aviation Caps of eiderdown yarn, a big variety, 50c each.

Extra fine hand crocheted Aviation Caps, solid colors or combinations. Last year they were $2.00. This year $1.00.

We Never Had Such a Complete Glove Stock Since We Kept Store

Gloves for everyone, for every purpose. Kid gloves, golf gloves, cashmere gloves, mittens, everything the heart could desire, and a big assortment of every kind.

Silk Lined Cashmere Gloves 25c pair

A better glove that than we sold last season for 39c. See for yourself.

$1.00 Kid Gloves 79c pair

High class gloves in every respect, and we've got all colors in every size.

$1.25 Real Kid Gloves $1.00 pair

Made from prime French kid. The make, the finish is in keeping with the finest gloves manufactured.

Children's silk lined kid gloves	$1.00 pair
Children's fleeced Mocha gloves	$1.00 pair
Children's gauntlet gloves	50c pair
Children's fleece lined kid mittens, fur tops, only	50c

Ladies' 12-button white Kid Gloves, $2.00 pair.
Ladies' 16-button white Kid Gloves $3.00 pair.
Extra finest French real kid, 16-button length, white Kid Gloves, equal to the $5.00 quality, $3.50 pair.

A Splendid Showing of Black Coats For Women

Now's the time of the season when most women want black coats. It's ever thus, black is always a prime favorite later on, and we've prepared as never before for this occasion.

New black coats by the hundreds have been opened by us this week, and such beautiful garments that they are, only the late styles are shown, the correct materials, the best tailored garments we have yet shown.

Full length coats, of broadcloths, cheviots, serges, worsteds and fancy weaves, some have big collars, others deep revers, many are plain tailored effects. Some are full lined, some half lined, or you may have them unlined.

Strong Sellers at $10, $12.50 and $15

All sizes, 16 misses' to 49 ladies,' fully 100 coats at these prices, showing the best values we have yet been able to produce at these popular prices.

Very Fine Black Coats $17.50 to $25

Hand tailored coats of extra fine material, showing a range of styles that is indeed wonderful. Fully 150 coats alone at $17.50 to $25.00, sizes 16 misses' to 51 women's. Fancy effects or plain tailored styles—anything you could desire.

Beautiful Coats $29.75 to $50.00

The best of everything go in the making of these high class garments. Finest imported black materials, Skinner's satin for lining, all hand tailored and styles different from those shown elsewhere.

These Are Busy Days In Our Blanket Department

Your every blanket want can best be supplied from our splendid stocks.

Here you'll find only the best makes of cotton and wool blankets, as well as the best values that are possible, and here you'll find the greatest assortments, the nicest blankets that are made.

For this month, the time when blanket needs are the greatest, we're giving a series of special sales that's bringing a two-fold business to this department.

2,000 pairs cotton blankets at 59c, 79c, 89c, 99c and up to $2.50 pair that regularly sell at 89c up to $3.98 pair.

500 pairs of Woolnap Blankets, the nap on both sides is wool. Extra size, beautiful in finish and a snap at $3.00. Our special price $2.49 pair.

750 pairs all wool blankets at 2.98 up to $15.00 pr. Better values than these are simply impossible.

A Remarkable Sale $5 to $7.50 New Dress Skirts $2.98

Spread the news far and wide, for this is the most extraordinary sale of skirts that this store has advertised in many a day.

500 new Fall Skirts, most of them are the scarce mixtures, but there's black, blue and brown chiffon Panama in this lot as well as corduroy. Every skirt a new Fall model, the choicest materials of the season. Regular prices $5.00 to $7.50. Choice $2.98. Alterations extra.

5160 Pairs Sample Hose At An Average of ½ Regular Prices

Just the best kinds for men, women and children. Yes, they're samples, but otherwise as perfect as if they were just opened fresh from the boxes.

10c pair Buys choice of our immense assortment children's heavy ribbed black hose, including values up to 25c.

2 pairs for 25c For choice of more than 500 pairs men's silk lisle socks, plain or fancy weaves, the always 25c quality.

50c Pair For women's pure thread silk hose, in white or black, the always 89c quality.

25c pair For choice 900 pairs ladies' black silk hose, the kind that always cost you 50c.

3 pairs for 50c For men's extra fine all wool cashmere socks or heavy all wool knit socks.

$1 Pair For women's extra fine silk hose, in black and all colors. Values in this lot worth up as high as $2.50.

One box Colgate's Celebrated Tooth Powder (25c size) and a bar Special Cashmere Bouquet Soap, both this week for 15c.

Frank Bros. & Co.

$1.25 worth of Toilet Articles for 50c—The celebrated Marvelo Cold Cream, 50c size; Marvelo Face Powder, 50c size, and Marvelo Tooth Powder, 25c size, all for 50c.

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GERRYMANDER AGREED UPON

Democratic Congressmen To Meet in Columbus.

NEW DRAFT TO BE DISCUSSED

Cuyahoga County Gets One More Congressman

Hamilton County Will Have Two Congressmen—Draft To Be Submitted at Conference Tomorrow Calls for Division of Several Districts—Then Whole Thing Will Be Up to Governor Harmon

Columbus O, Nov 14—Ohio's Democratic congressmen have practically agreed on the new congressional gerrymander proposition in so far as it affects districts in which are located the five large cities of the state, but there is expected to be some lively discussion in regard to the rest of the state, when they meet in Columbus tomorrow to talk matters over

The gerymander draft which will be discused gives Cuyahoga county an aditional congressman The city of Cleveland will embrace the Twentieth and Twenty First districts while territory in the county outside the city will be made a part of the new Twenty Second district along with Lake and Geauga counties

Hamilton county will have two congressmen Congressman Allen Democrat now representing the Second will be permitted it is said to fix the congressional boundaries of his new district so that the district will be assured of a safe Democratic plurality

Franklin County will continue to be a district by itself

Lucas county is put in a district by itself in the present gerrymander draft but there is talk today that this may be changed tomorrow and Ottawa county tacked onto it

Montgomery and Butler counties comprise of the new Third district, making it safely Democratic The Third now consists of Montgomery Butler and Preble

Other Proposals

New Fourth—Preble Miami Shelby Darke Mercer and Auglaize

New Fifth—Williams Fulton Defiance Henry Paulding Van Wert and Putnam Allen county may be put in this district

New Sixth—Greene Warren, Clermont Brown Adams Highland and Clinton

New Tenth Scioto Lawrence Gallia Meigs Athens Vinton and Jackson

New Eighteenth — Columbiana Carroll Jefferson Harrison and Belmont

New Nineteenth — Ashtabula Trumbull and Mahoning

Practically all the rest of the districts are said to depend on the final decision on a proposed district which in the present draft is made to consist of Lorain Medina Summit and Portage counties If this district stands it puts two Democratic congressmen Sharp of the present Fourteenth and Bathrick of the present Nineteenth in the same district Moreover the new proposed district is heavily Republican which would probably mean that both of them would be put out of business

Stark county will likely go into a Democratic district very likely along with Wayne Holmes and Ashland

The draft to be submitted tomorrow divides the districts equally between Democrats and Republicans giving each eleven

In the end it will be up to Governor Harmon to say whether a special legislative session shall be called to pass the gerrymander Just now the governor is said to oppose a special session

Some people waste a lot of energy making worthless excuses

Good Warm

Winter Wear We have a full stock of all grades at very attractive prices You save money here

Underwear for every member of the family from 25c to $1 00

Comforts and Blankets from 50c to $2 00

Night Gowns each 50c to $1 00

Children's Night Robes 25c to 50c

Children's Wool Hose per pair 15c to 25c.

Ladies Wool Hose per pair 15c to 50c.

Men's Wool Socks per pair 15c to 50c

Best Canvas Gloves 3 pairs for 25c

Boys 25c Leather Mittens per pair 15c

Men's 25c Gloves per pair 19c

Outing Flannel per yard 5c, 8c and 10c

Germantown Yarn per skein 10c

Aviation Caps each 50c 75c and $1 00.

The ARK

Cor Main and Church Sts

CONDUCTOR FINDS A BAG OF DIAMONDS

Toledo Street Car Man Is Dazzled by His Find

Toledo O Nov 13—When Street Car Conductor John A Mann opened a bag he found lying in a seat in his car Sunday night he almost fainted More diamonds were in the bag than Mann or the motorman ever saw A necklace of gold nuggets, ornamented with huge stones was one of the things Ten diamond rings, clusters of diamonds loose diamonds, all kinds of diamonds scintillated and sparkled before the astonished gaze of the street car men

Big Con officials verified the fact that the stones were genuine worth about $10,000, and evidently the property of Annie Pelot a vaudeville actress and who hurriedly left Sunday, for Dayton

BURY DOG WRAPPED IN AMERICAN FLAG

Now Woman Wants Uncle Sam's Soldiers Reprimanded

Washington, Nov 13—Protesting against the burial of a dog wrapped in an American flag by soldiers at the army aviation school, College Park, Maryland, Mrs Isabel Worrell Ball chairman of the Woman's Relief Corps committee to prevent desecration of the flag Sunday sent a letter to Secretary of War Stimson asking the soldiers guilty of this alleged offense be repremanded

Mrs Ball refers to the burial of Muggsy mascot of the aeronautical corps killed by a train, Friday

Muggsy was wrapped in a small American flag and placed in a coffin, soldiers were his pallbearers, and his body was lowered into the grave as a bugler sounded taps

POTASH DISPUTE SETTLED AT LAST

German Syndicate and American Dealers Get Together

Berlin Nov 13—The long drawn out potash controversy between American and German interests was settled here today the German syndicate the non syndicate interests and the American dealers ratifying the tentative settlement previously reached and cancelling the contract between the Americans and non syndicate firms which started the trouble

PTOMAINE POISONING IS CAUSE OF DEATH

Of George B Moore, of South State Street.

MOORE IS ONE OF SIX WHO ARE POISONED

He and Five Members of His Family Eat Bologna Which Is Tainted This Is Five Weeks Ago Saturday Night—All Recover Save Moore He Suffers a Relapse

George B Moore aged forty nine years died at his home at No 242 South State Street Monday morning about 10 o'clock His death was caused by ptomaine poisoning Five weeks ago last Saturday night six of the Moore family were poisoned by eating bologna With the exception of Mr Moore all recovered Last Thursday he suffered a relapse and constantly grew worse dying Monday morning

Mr Moore was born in Wheeling West Virginia and was married Feb ruary 29 1868 to Miss Anna Halstead at Plymouth To this union were born four children all of whom survive They are Mrs M J Grice, of Bucyrus Mrs LeRoy Winbigler of Galion Mrs Frank Blacksten of Mt Vernon avenue and John H Moore who resides at home He also leaves beside his widow and children a brother John Moore of St Louis

The deceased came to this city about two years ago from Galion and had been in the employe of Klemmer Brothers

The funeral was held from the late residence Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock Dr C R Havighurst of the Epworth M E church, officiating Burial was made in the Marion cemetery

TRIPLE MURDER IS DISCOVERED

Two Women and a Child Killed in Brooklyn

New York Nov 13—Each with a gaping bullet wound in the head Antonna Delano sixty three years old her daughter Marchell Lafaro twenty five and the latter's five year old daughter Rosie were found dead shortly after noon today on the kitchen floor of their home in Brooklyn A brother of the younger woman victim is missing and the police suspect him of a triple murder

Adolph Lafaro husband of Marchell and son in law of the Delano woman made the ghastly discovery upon his return from work at lunch time He immediately notified the police and detectives and police reserves were sent to the house

Neighbors could give no information and Adolph was also unable to say anything as to how or why the triple murder was committed

Melvi Jones of 130 Kenton avenue proprietor of the new Erie eating house was granted a liquor license by Auditor Jay Spaulding Monday afternoon

THREE YOUTHS CAUGHT ROBBING MILK BOTTLES

Watched by an Officer While Doing Stealing

PARENTS PROMISE APPEARANCE OF LADS

The Hatch Chicken Coop on Fahey Street Is Visited by Thieves and Six Chickens Are Stolen—Notes Gathered in the Police Circles of the City.

About 12 30 o'clock Sunday morning a call was sent to police headquarters that boys had been robbing milk bottles, on south Prospect street About the same time Acting Captain Thompson was enroute to the West End and saw boys acting in a suspicious manner on Blaine avenue With a pedestrian who was with the officer the boys were watched and caught in the act of robbing the bottles

The boys gave their names as Otto Knight, of Davids street Charles Squires of Kenton avenue and Glen Hoffine, of Henry street They have been employed as pin setters at the Mission bowling alleys Knight and Squires were working one side of the street and had twenty-three cents between them while Hoffine had twenty cents The officer knew the boys and on the promise of their parents that they would be sent to appear before the probate judge Monday morning they were not arrested

Monday the three boys were arraigned before Probate Judge Spencer They confessed to having robbed milk bottles on south Prospect street several nights ago and also on Pearl street and several other streets After receiving a lecture from the judge, the boys were given a suspended sentence to the Lancaster reform school pending good behavior They agreed to return over the route where they had taken money and return it to the residents Their parents who were with them at the time of the hearing, furnished the money to the boys and they started out to return it Monday morning

A woman who gave her name as Hatch and who resides on Fahey street reported to the police Sunday morning that her chicken coop had been visited Saturday night and six of her choice fowls taken In view of the fact that chicken thieving is becoming a little common a special effort is to be made to catch some of the thieves and they will be severely dealt with

The general store of J C Irwin & Son, at Caledonia, was burglarized early Sunday morning and a small amount of merchandise taken Entrance to the store was gained through a window in the cellar and through a trap door leading to a rear room of the store The place was thoroughly ransacked and some clothing scattered over the floor Several pairs of shoes cigars and some other merchandise were stolen but just how much is uncertain

The burglary was not discovered until Sunday morning when some person from Marion called the exchange at Caledonia and asked if a burglary had been committed there The proprietors of the store notified the chief of police but the man who was suspected of having burglarized the store could not be located

Jim Scaredo the Italian who was arrested at the Erie transfer house Friday afternoon by J B Lewis a detective of the Erie on a charge of stealing a pair of shoes was arraigned before the mayor Saturday evening After consulting an attorney Scaredo entered a plea of guilty to the charge and was fined $10 and cost and sentenced to thirty days in the Dayton workhouse The workhouse sentence was suspended pending good behavior and he was released after paying the fine and costs

The police and the men who like to loaf about a drinking place found the city a real Sahara Sunday Not a single violation of the Sunday closing ordinance was even indicated and the man searching for a drink went dry The saloonists have pledged themselves to obey the law to the letter and any violations of the ordinance would under the agreement have been reported at once by the head of the organization As a result those employed about the drinking places enjoyed a day of rest and the city was as quiet as could be wished so far as the saloons were concerned The sobriety of Sunday being in contrast to the preceding night when there was not a little drunkenness

THE PRESIDENT IS BACK ON THE JOB

And Congressmen Drop into the National Capitol Today

Washington Nov 13—The milk froze in the bottle on the White House doorstep today, and the national capitol awoke to find the winter season of activity in full blast Last week ended with warm weather and dullness

The president was back on the job today Congressmen dropped in to town over Sunday The city shook itself and stepped lively The long vacation period was over With the cold northwest wind all elements joined in giving concerted evidence that the annual awakening had taken place.

MORE OLD BUILDINGS ARE TO BE REMOVED

Assistant State Fire Marshal Busy in the City

STRUCTURES MUST BE TORN DOWN QUICKLY

L D Wolford of the State Fire Marshal's Office Pays the City a Visit Saturday and Serves a Number of Notices in Regard to Old Buildings in the City

L D Wolford assistant state fire marshal was in the city Saturday and served notices on a number of property owners for the razing of sheds in the business district Since the fire marshal started the work of issuing notices the improvement over the city is very noticeable, although his tour of inspection is not near the end The following were the orders issued Saturday

A H Kling owner of the store room occupied by Scribner's grocery on south Main street is ordered to tear down an old shed at the rear of the building used or the storage of gasoline The shed is dilapidated and liable to fire and must be torn down within ten days and the rubbish removed from the rear of the property

The two story frame building known as No 16 west Church street owned by Ira R H West fall and occupied by H D Keeler as a factory and repair shop is ordered razed within thirty days for the reason that it is dilapidated liable to fire and a menace to adjoining property

Jacob Blatch owner of the rooms known as Nos 125 and 127 south Main street was ordered to tear down a shed at the rear of the buildings and remove the rubbish within thirty days

Strelitz brother were given a notice to put new siding on part of their room at No 129 south Main street, tear down a shed and remove the rubbish from the rear for the reason that it is liable to fire and a menace to adjoining property

William A Muntsinger owner of the room occupied by Elias Inners on south Main street has been ordered to repair the chimneys put on a new roof and tear down a shed at the rear within thirty days

STORM SWEEPS OVER THE CITY AND COUNTY

A Night of Heavy Rain and Rushing Winds

DROP IN TEMPERATURE FOLLOWED BY SNOW

The Temperature Sunday and Sunday Night Makes It Disagreeable To Move About—Mercury Registers Twelve Degrees Above Zero Monday Morning, at Daybreak

The city and county experienced a wind and rainstorm Saturday night unusual in its severity and although no great damage was done, many were anxious as to the safety of roofs and chimneys during the night

The storm was but a sidelight to the great storm which had swept other states to the west during the day and left death and destruction in its wake

The coming of the rain was preceded by heavy winds that made it both disagreeable and dangerous to be about the streets as wind tossed trees and signs were ever threatening the pedestrian

When the rain came it fell in torrents and the deluge continued throughout the greater part of the night

At 8 o'clock Saturday evening the thermometer registered sixty one and the mercury rose steadily until at 1 o'clock Sunday morning a temperature of seventy degrees was recorded Ideal cyclone conditions prevailed and when the real storm came the nervous ones left their beds and remained awake until the storm had spent itself and a drop in temperature indicated the approach of the cold wave which had been announced by the weather bureau

About 6 o'clock Sunday morning it began to snow and the late riser found a neat covering of snow on earth and housetop

It continued to snow gently all day and the temperature hung low the thermometer not going above forty five during the day Early in the evening the temperature grew more severe and pedestrians found the atmosphere something more than bracing The people of the city passed a very cold and windy night and Monday morning awoke to find the thermometer registering twelve degrees above zero

The sun rose clear and beautiful however and with the coming of the sun a break in the cold wave was indicated

Many farms throughout the county were the scene of much activity Sunday as farmers caught with tender crops unprotected were forced to call for assistance and labor all day in getting potatoes and other products under cover that they might not be frozen One farmer had 600 bushels of potatoes at the mercy of the elements while other farmers had apples potatoes and other farm products threatened and found it necessary not only to work but to work hard with all the assistance available to save them

SCORE OF LIVES LOST IN STORM

Great Suffering Reported in Middle West

TWELVE WISCONSIN PERSONS ARE KILLED

Two Freeze to Death in Dakota and Minnesota

Several Hundred People Are Rendered Homeless in Virginia Illinois—Lake Shipping To Be Tied Up for Weeks—Many Canadian Boats the Cold Weather Congests the Wheat Shipping

Chicago Nov 14 More than a score of lives were lost over $1 000 000 damage done to buildings farms and shipping and great suffering entailed among the poor by a storm which swept the upper Middle West during the last two days and left in its wake bitter cold weather

Revised reports today indicate that not less than twelve persons were killed in Wisconsin towns near the Illinois border the fatalities all occurring in the wreckage of buildings demolished by a tornado like wind

The storm cut a swath about a quarter of a mile wide over twenty miles of Wisconsin almost sweeping that strip clean of all buildings A deluge of rain followed the wind Today the devasted territory is held fast in near zero weather Communication has not been reestablished and for this reason reports are only fragmentary

At least two are known to have been frozen to death in the icy breath of winter that spread over Minnesota and North Dakota The body of John W Dudley of Grand Forks North Dakota was found on the prairie outside of that city Joseph A Ruppe treasurer of Rush City Minnesota was frozen to death while hunting on Rush lake The wind and waves swamped his boat and Ruppe was frozen in an attempt to swim ashore in the icy water

End of Great Storm

When the wind died down in Chicago today it brought to an end the worst storm in the recent history of Great Lake navigation and released several hundred weary government life savers from a thirty six hours' vigil Half a score of lake vessels were driven from the harbor their cables snapped by the united power of wind and waves Several of these craft were driven clear across Lake Michigan and when their crews were rescued they told stories of a fearful battle against a bitter wind that lashed the waves over their decks and drove vessels before it

In Chicago alone three persons perished in the cold wave and the charity hospitals today were full of patients

Near zero weather caused intense suffering among the poor of the city The county authorities today broke all precedents and began distribution of coal and supplies to the needy —a step never heretofore taken until the first of December

Reports from Virginia Illinois say that the damage to property in that section will total more than $200 000 Several hundred people are homeless In one building spared by the tornado thirty five persons are living All of them lost their homes

The indications are that as a direct result of the sudden cold wave—unprecedented in the history of the Middle West—lake shipping will be tied up for weeks

Along the Canadian border the cold weather has congested wheat shipping The elevators are jammed with grain which the railroads cannot handle rapidly enough and in several cities the grain is being stored on the ground

CREW AND CAPTAIN'S WIFE ARE DROWNED

Terrible Experience Drives Captain of Schooner Insane

Fort Terry Plum Island Long Island Sound Nov 13—The schooner Edith L Dennis of New Bedford Massachusetts bound for Greenport Long Island with coal sank about 9 o'clock last night in Plum Gut Two sailors comprising the crew and the captain's wife were drowned The captain was washed ashore on a log and picked up by soldiers at the fort He is insane today from his terrible experience and can not tell his own name

Four Men Burned

Cincinnati Nov 14—Four men were burned two of them seriously at 7 30 this morning when oil exploded in the Tudor Toilet Manufacturing company plant They were employed in thawing out a pipe leading from a crude oil tank when the explosion sprayed them with the flaming fluid

Bonds Are Sold

The county commissioners have sold refunding bonds to the Shoots pike amounting to $6 100 and drawing four and a half per cent interest to Hayden Miller company of Cleveland, for one dollar premium The bonds are to run three years

For spring supper Heat oranges and shredded cocoanut put in a dish in alternate layers is very appetizing

ALBERT WISEMAN DIES IN COLORADO

Mr. Wiseman Is Former Resident of This City

Friends here have received word of the death of Albert Wiseman which occurred in Denver about two weeks ago Mr Wiseman was about thirty years of age and was a son of Rev W A Wiseman who left this city for the West about fifteen years ago The deceased went to Colorado some time ago for his health He leaves a widow a father and several brothers and sisters all residing in the West

WILL MAKE FUTURE HOME IN THE COUNTRY

Miss Frances Holt and Mr Frank Warren United

Prospect Nov 13—[Special]—Miss Frances Holt and Mr Frank Warren were united in marriage Sunday evening at 7 o'clock at the parsonage of the Epworth M E church Rev M E Baumgardner, pastor of the church officiating They were unattended Both parties are quite well known in and about Prospect They will make their home on a farm west of this place

Sale of Bonds.

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the County Auditor in Marion County Ohio until 10 o'clock a m on December 4th 1911 for the purchase of 20 bonds amounting to $ 600 00 All Bonds to be known as the Davis Fire Turnpike Road Bonds all of said Bonds dated September 1st 1911 and to become due and payable as follows and in the following amount

2 bonds of $ 300 00 each due respectively March 1st 1913 September 1st 1913 March 1st 1914 September 1st 1914 and March 1st 1915

2 bonds of $ 300 00 each due respectively September 1st 1915 March 1st 1916 September 1st 1916 and March 1st 1917

2 bonds of $300 00 each due respectively March 1st 1918 September 1st 1918 March 1st 1919 September 1st 1919 and March 1st 1919

2 bonds of $300 00 each due respectively September 1st 1919 March 1st 1920 September 1st 1920 March 1st 1921 and September 1st 1921

with interest on each of said bonds from September 1st 1911 at five per cent per annum payable semi annually Proper interest coupons are to be attached to each bond for the interest as it matures

Principal and interest payable at the office of the Treasurer of Marion County Ohio Said bonds are for the purpose of constructing the Davis Free Turnpike Road as ordered by the Board of County Commissioners of Marion County Ohio under authority of the Special laws of the State of Ohio particularly section 7 of the General Code of Ohio and pursuant to a resolution adopted by said Board of Commissioners

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check calling for the sum of $ 600 00 on some bank in the City of Marion Ohio said check to be made payable to the aforesaid Board of Commissioners All checks of unsuccessful bidders shall be returned to them The deposit of the successful bidder or bidders shall be retained and considered and accepted as part payment of the bond or bonds so awarded Should the bidder or bidders refuse or neglect to pay for the bonds sold then the deposit shall be forfeited to the aforesaid Board of Free Turnpike Commissioners and shall become the property of said Board as compensation to the loss and expenses attending the sale of the bonds and as liquidated damages for not purchasing the sale

No bid will be received unless accompanied by a certified check as herein before stated No bid will be received for less than the par value of the bonds and the accrued interest thereon and the aforesaid Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids

Proposals are to be sealed and indorsed Bids for Bonds and addressed to the aforesaid Turnpike Commissioners Marion Ohio care of Jay Spaulding Auditor

By order of the Board of Road Commissioners Davis Jr Turnpike Road

W A MILLS President
C H COOK Treasurer
J L DAVIS Secretary

LEGAL NOTICE

Lawrence Dee Benner a minor Hugh Clifford Benner a minor and Rollie Benjamin Benner a minor and Flora S Benner guardian of said minors all of whom reside at George own Vermillion County Illinois will take notice that on the 6th day of October 1911 the undersigned Abbott A Lawrence filed his petition in the court of Common Pleas of Marion county Ohio as plaintiff in case No 1710 on the docket of said court against the defendants above named (and others) alleging therein that he is seized in fee simple of and has a legal right to one undivided sixth part of the real estate hereinafter described and that each of said minors is seized of one undivided eighteenth part of the same real estate as co parceners with plaintiff and other defendants and demanding partition thereof and that on the 1st day of October 1911 he filed an amendment to said petition making corrections in the names of some defendants and in the description of one tract of land and alleging that the real estate described said petition could not be advantageously sold and offered for sale in three or more tracts

The object and prayer of said petition and amendment thereto are that partition may be made among the plaintiff and defendants of the following described real estate situated in the township of Claridon county of Marion and State of Ohio to wit a tract of twenty acres off the north end of the west half of the northeast quarter of section number four township five south range eight east and the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of the same section containing forty acres more or less also the west half of the north west quarter of the same section containing eighty acres more or less except the following described small tract namely beginning at a post 4 chains S minutes E and 10 10 chains N 89 degrees 40 minutes E of the section stone at the northwest corner of said section then S minutes E 10 chains to a stone thence N 89 degrees minutes W 10 chains to a stone thence N minutes W 10 chains to a stone thence S 89 degrees minutes E 10 chains to the place of beginning containing 10 10 acres also a right of way over a strip of said section 33 from the public road on the south side thereof for ingress to and egress from the small tract above described granted to the parties to the suit and to Anna Benner Schuler Lawrence and Sarah Thew by deed recorded in volume page of the records of Deeds of Marion County Ohio except also a tract of one half acre out of the south east corner of said eighty acre lot conveyed by Susanna Lawrence to the Board of Education of Claridon Township the same being 11 6 rods north and south and 7 rods east and west that said real estate may be sold in three or more tracts and that he may have all proper relief Each of said defendants is required to appear and answer said petition on or before December 23d 1911 or a decree will be taken by Default

Oct 27 1911

ABBOTT A LAWRENCE
Charles C Fisher Attorney for Plaintiff 9&5 wks

Legal Notice Bond Sale

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the clerk of the Village of LaRue Ohio until 2 o'clock p m Monday November 20 1911 for the purchase of bonds of said Village to the aggregate sum of Twenty Thousand and Five Hundred Dollars ($20 500) in denominations of Five Hundred Dollars ($500) each numbered consecutively from one to forty five inclusive and shall bear date of October 1 1911 payable as follows

Bonds numbered 1 and due May 1 1913

Bonds numbered 3 and 4 due September 1 1913

Bonds numbered 5 and 6 due May 1 1914

Bonds numbered and 8 due September 1 1914

Bonds numbered 9 and 10 due May 1 1915

Bonds numbered 11 and 12 due September 1 1915

Bonds numbered 13 and 14 due May 1 1916

Bonds numbered 15 and 16 due September 1 1916

Bonds numbered 17 and 18 due May 1 1917

Bonds numbered 19 and 20 due September 1 1917

Bonds numbered 21 and 22 due May 1 1918

Bonds numbered 23 and 24 due September 1 1918

Bonds numbered 25 and 26 due May 1 1919

Bond numbered 27 and 28 due September 1 1919

Bonds numbered 29 and 30 due May 1 1920

Bonds numbered 31 32 and 33 September 1 1920

Bonds numbered 34 35 36 due May 1 1921

Bonds numbered 37 38 39 due September 1 1921

Bonds numbered 40 41 42 due May 1 1922

Bonds numbered 43 44 45 due September 1 1922

Said bonds bearing interest at the rate of Five (5) per cent per annum payable semi annually evidenced by coupons attached thereto being in anticipation of the collection of special assessments for the improvement of High Street from a point 13 feet south of South Street to School Street by paving the roadway according to Sec 3879 the General Code of Ohio and an Ordinance of said village passed March 8 1911

Bonds numbered 44 45 44 and 45 general taxation bonds for the portion of said improvement to be paid by assessments bonds to be special assessment bonds to be paid for by assessments specially levied upon the abutting lots to pay the cost and expense of said improvement of High Street from a point 13 feet south of South Street to School Street by paving the roadway

Said bonds will be sold to the bidder the highest bidder at not less than par and accrued interest

All bids must state the number of bonds bid for and the gross amount bid and accrued interest to date of delivery and all bids must be accompanied by a certified check payable to the treasurer of said village for Five per centum of the amount of bonds bid for upon condition that if the bid is accepted the bidder will receive and pay for such bonds as may be issued as above set forth within ten days from the date of award said check to be retained by the village if said condition is not complied

The village of LaRue reserves the right to reject any and all bids

Bids shall be sealed and endorsed Bids for High Street Bonds

WILL J CLARK Clerk

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SCHOOL EXAMINATIONS

The School Examiners of Marion county, Ohio, will meet for the examination of teachers at the court house school building Saturday

DECEMBER 2

Examinations commence at 8 00 a m and no application will be received after 10 a m All examinations will be written and positively no private examinations will be granted A fee of 25 cents will be charged on admission the examination and each application to be furnished an envelope, stamped and addressed to him or herself, in which certificate or notice of failure will be forwarded Applicants will be graded on a scale of 100. No certificate will be granted when the grade in any branch falls below 70 An average of 70 a minimum of 70 secures a certificate for one year 85 with a minimum of 70 and twelve months experience secures a certificate for two years 90 with a minimum of 85 and twenty-four months experience secures a certificate for three years 95 with a minimum of 85 and thirty-six months experience secures a certificate for 5 years an average of 98 with a minimum of 85 and sixty months experience secures a certificate for 8 years.

Success in the school room will be taken into consideration in examining the class of certificates.

R B Bell Pres
W P Moloney Vice Pres
J W Almendinger, Clerk

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Consult Hocking Valley Ticket Agents for Information

E. Nebergall, Agt. H. V. R'y, Marion

TRAVELER'S GUIDE

HOCKING VALLEY

North—*7 07 a m 10 17 a m †6 10 p m, 11 15 p m
South—5 50 a. m 7 30 a m †7 20 p m 10 22 a m
*Daily except Sunday
†Runs to Marion only

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Southwest—10 27 a m 6 5 p m
East—6 38 a m 12 36 p m 5 06 p m

CHICAGO & ERIE

West—10 20 a m, 12 06 a m †6 10 p m
East—6 38 a m *10.00 a m, 5 06 p m
*Daily except Sunday
†Runs to Marion only
‡Runs to Ohio City only

PENNSYLVANIA

Northbound—*1 20 a m *6 †8 10 a m †8 32 p m
Southbound—a10 16 a m 6 ‡8 40 p m
*Daily except Sunday
aDaily

BIG FOUR

Fastbound—*2 25 a m 12 p m 10 40 a m *5 ‡7 p m
Westbound—6 01 a m *3 10 p m 1 35 p m 7 13 p m *3 10 p m
*Daily except Sunday

C D & M ELECTRIC

Depart Southbound—6 a m 8 a m 9 a m 11 a m 1 p m 3 p m 4 p m 6 p m 7 p m 9 p m *11 p m
Arrive Northbound—7 30 a m 8 a m *8 00 a m 10 a m 12 30 p m 2 00 p m 4 00 p m 6 00 p m 8 00 p m 10 45 p m
*Goes to Delaware only
Hourly service Sundays

C, M & E ELECTRIC

Northbound—Cars leave Marion for Bucyrus at 6 8 10 a m 12 2 4 6 8 and 10 p m
Southbound—Cars leave Bucyrus for Marion at 7 9 and 11 a m 1 3 5 7 9 and 11 p m

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OPPOSITION TO GERRYMANDER

Brewing Among Congressmen Left in Cold.

MANY CHANGES ARE PROPOSED

Marion, Hancock, Hardin and Allen in Eighth District.

Thirteenth District, as Proposed, Will Eliminate Marion County and Include Ottawa, Sandusky, Erie, Seneca, Huron and Crawford, with a Combined Population of 206,521. Other Changes.

Columbus, O., Nov. 14.—When Ohio's Democratic congressmen went into executive session here this afternoon to try to agree on a congressional gerrymander bill, there was considerable opposition brewing among those who are left out in the cold in the draft submitted by the gerrymander committee.

Congressman Sharp, of the Fourteenth, and Congressman Bathrick, of the Nineteenth, are said to have good grounds for kicking, as the proposed draft puts both of them in the same new district and to add insult to injury, make the district Republican.

The new proposed Eighteenth district is composed of Lorain, Medina, Summit and Portage counties. Sharp lives in Lorain and Bathrick in Summit. On the basis of the vote for president in 1908, which has been used by the gerrymander committee in figuring pluralities in the new districts, the district is Republican by more than 5,000.

The new Eleventh is Republican by more than 12,000, based on the 1908 vote.

The claim is made that the proposed draft divides the districts of the state equally between the Democrats and Republicans, giving each eleven, but the fact remains that several districts that might have been counted normally Republican in 1908, are considered Democratic now. Among these are the new Ninth district, consisting of Lucas county, and the new Twenty-Second, consisting of territory in Cuyahoga county outside of Cleveland, together with Lake and Geauga counties.

In the proposed draft, the Democratic districts are set down as Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Eighth, Eleventh, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Seventeenth, Twentieth and Twenty-First.

Districts set down as Republican are: First, Sixth, Seventh, Ninth, Tenth, Twelfth, Fifteenth, Sixteenth, Eighteenth, Nineteenth and Twenty-Second.

The congressmen, before the meeting, put in a good deal of time wondering whether Governor Harmon will call a special session of the legislature to pass the gerrymander after they have decided what they want.

Proposed Changes.

With the possibility that it would be changed in several particulars, the following is the proposed gerrymander draft that the congressmen had before them when they went into session this afternoon:

First—Part of Hamilton county.

Second—Part of Hamilton county. Joint population, 460,732.

Third—Butler and Montgomery. Population, 234,034.

Fourth—Mercer, Auglaize, Darke, Shelby, Miami and Preble. Population, 195,259.

Fifth—Williams, Fulton, Defiance, Putnam, Henry, Paulding and Van Wert. Population 180,573.

Sixth—Greene, Warren, Clinton, Clermont, Highland, Brown and Adams. Population, 185,759.

Seventh—Logan, Union, Delaware, Champaign, Clark, Madison and Fayette. Population, 213,569.

Eighth—Wood, Hancock, Allen, Hardin, Marion and Wyandot. Population. 225,709.

Ninth—Lucas county. Population, 192,728.

Tenth—Scioto, Jackson, Lawrence, Meigs, Athens and Galia. Population, 217,570.

Eleventh — Pickaway, Fairfield, Perry, Ross, Hocking, Pike and Vinton. Population, 193,293.

Twelfth—Franklin county. Population, 221,567.

Thirteenth — Ottawa, Sandusky, Erie, Seneca, Huron and Crawford. Population, 206,521.

Fourteenth — Richland, Morrow, Licking, Knox, Muskingum and Coshorton. Population, 237,862.

Fifteenth—Tuscarawas, Guernsey, Morgan, Noble, Washington and Monroe. Population, 204,115.

Sixteenth—Columbiana, Jefferson, Harrison and Belmont. Population, 237,976.

Seventeenth — Ashland, Wayne, Stark, Holmes and Carroll. Population. 217,690.

Eighteenth—Lorain, Medina, Summit and Portage. Population, 238,-155.

Nineteenth—Ashtabula, Trumbull and Mahoning. Population, 228,464.

Twentieth — Part of Cuyahoga county

Twenty-First—Part of Cuyahoga county

Twenty-Second—Part of Cuyahoga, Lake and Geauga. *Joint population,* 175,622.

Beware of a boss girl, young man unless you are looking for a boss wife

MANY AT MERCY OF A HIGH SEA

Schooner Is Wrecked Off Cape Disappointment.

LIFE SAVERS WORK WHILE GALE HOWLS

But Are Unable To Reach the Imperiled People.

Two Members of Ship's Crew Are Washed Overboard to Their Death in Effort To Reach Life Line Thrown by Government's Men from Astoria Life-Saving Station. All May Be Lost.

Astoria, Ore., Nov. 13.—With two members of the crew already washed overboard to their death, forty-seven persons on the shipwrecked steam schooner, Washington, are facing death off Cape Disappointment today. In a howling northwest gale government life-savers from Astoria have been working unsuccessfully for nine hours trying to get a life line to the steamer.

At 10 o'clock this morning, with life-savers desperately renewing their efforts to effect a rescue, the boat started to break up.

Included in the passengers on the vessel whose lives are in peril are Edwin J. Williams, of Chicago; Martin Branty, Pittsburgh; M. McVittie, New York; Edward Wade, Chicago; John West, Denver, and Wallace Warren, Cleveland. Of the forty-seven persons aboard, twenty-five are passengers and twenty-two seamen.

The vessel was enroute from Portland to San Francisco when she ran into the gale late last night. For an hour she was buffeted about at the mercy of the wind before she was driven inside the breakers off Cape Disappointment, and ran upon the bar outside the mouth of the Columbia river.

Signal of Distress.

The Washington's wireless operator flashed a distress signal to Astoria and Portland, before his apparatus was put out of commission by the gale. The life-savers here immediately rushed to the scene, but owing to the terrific wind and the high sea running, were unable to approach close enough to take off the imperiled persons.

Fearing the vessel would break up, the life-savers attempted to shoot a life-line across the vessel, but each attempt failed. Two members of the crew were washed overboard and drowned while attempting to reach the life lines.

At 10 o'clock the boat was evidently beginning to break up and the chances of rescuing those aboard seemed slim. At that hour, the Washington was 100 yards off shore, with the surf breaking clean over her.

TRUST OUSTED FROM MISSOURI

Harvester Combine Also Fined $50,000.

DECISION COMES AS A SURPRISE

Result of Special Commissioner's Report.

Today's Decision Is Considered Most Important in Connection with Recent Anti-Trust Actions of the Department of Justice, and the Fact Missouri Starts the Agitation Against Standard Oil Trust.

Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 14.—The Missouri supreme court, which was the first to oust the Standard Oil trust from Missouri as a combination in restraint of trade, today issued a writ of ouster against the International Harvester company, forbidding it to do business within this state and fining it $50,000.

The decision of the supreme court came as the result of a report filed September 6 by Special Commissioner Theodore Brace, on the ouster suit against the company begun by Governor Hanley when he was attorney general. In this report the company was alleged to be violating the anti-trust laws of Missouri in that it was the agent for the International Harvester company of New Jersey, a corporation with $120,000,000 capital, controlling practically all the standard makes of harvester machinery. The company, in a reply, admitted the allegations concerning its connection with the parent organization in New Jersey, but denied that it was doing business in violation of Missouri laws.

Today's decision is considered most important in connection with the recent anti-trust moves of the department of justice, and the fact that Missouri started the agitation against the Standard Oil trust.

If a girl doesn't like a certain young man it's a safe bet that her father does

SEES TRUST IN NEFARIOUS PLOT

Court Flays Harvester Combine in Opinion.

BIG FINE MUST BE PAID IN SIXTY DAYS

Company Must Show Up Business to Court.

International Harvester Company, Ousted from Missouri Today, Has a Capital of $120,000,000 and Is Formed from Merger of Leading Implement Manufacturing Companies of United States.

Jefferson City, Mo., Nov. 14.—Characterizing the International Harvester company as a "gigantic and nefarious scheme," and passing upon it practically the same judgment rendered in the case of the Waters-Pierce Oil company in connection with the Standard Oil case, Judge Graves, of the supreme court of Missouri, today wrote the controlling opinion in the International Harvester case, holding that the company should be ousted and fined $50,000.

The ouster will be suspended, says the court, by the payment of the fine within sixty days, and if in that time the company withdraws from its connection with the New Jersey company it will be allowed to do business in this state.

By this decision, the company is further ordered to make a complete statement of its capital and business in Missouri, and agree to stop engaging in business that will make combinations to control output and prices of harvester machinery in this state and to comply with the laws of Missouri.

Chief Justice Valliant, in his opinion, wanted to oust the company, but leave the amount of the fine to be determined later.

Judges Woodson, Lamm, Broan and Ferris concurred in the Graves opinion. Judge Kennish being of counsel, did not sit.

Career of Company.

The International Harvester company of New Jersey, now capitalized at $120,000,000, was formed by the leading harvester firms, the McCormick, Deering, Plano, Osborn and Champion, taking over the Buckeye and purchasing the respondent, which was the Milwaukee of Wisconsin, changing its name to the International Harvester company of America.

The company made a return, admitting virtually all the allegations of the petition, but declared that its business was not in violation of the anti-trust laws of the state.

Judge Graves, in his opinion, sustains the special commissioner in all his findings and says that the organization of the International Harvester company was simply a scheme to evade the laws and control prices and outputs of farm machinery in this state. After discussing the plan of the company, the opinion says:

"The respondent in this case was a part and parcel of this gigantic and nefarious scheme. For some years it has been mere sales agent of the International Harvester company—the New Jersey organization. It was licensed in this state to sell its own goods, but it is now selling the goods of another. As such party to an unlawful arrangement or combination, it should suffer the penalties prescribed by our laws."

ANOTHER DRAMA OF THE UNWRITTEN LAW

Trial of Beautiful Texas Woman for Murder Starts.

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. 14.—Another drama of the "unwritten law" was unfolded here today when the trial of Mrs. Lucie Matheson, charged with the murder of her husband, at Abilene, was begun.

Matheson was shot from through a window of a negress' house. Mrs. Matheson today entered a plea of not guilty, and has heretofore declared that the shooting was accidental. It was made certain today, however, by the attitude of her counsel, that the defense will in reality, be the "unwritten law," which has heretofore never failed with a Texas jury.

The prosecution will endeavor to prove constant quarrels between the husband and wife. Mrs. Matheson is twenty-one and pretty.

OIL WELL SHOOTER BLOWN TO PIECES

Nothing but Part of His Coat Found After Explosion.

Newark, O., Nov. 13.—Dennis Tompkins, thirty-five, an oil well shooter, was blown to pieces, his two horses were killed and $1,000 damage was done in Utica and Newark early today when nitroglycerin, stored in a shed northeast of Utica, exploded.

Tompkins had started to get a load of the explosive preparatory to shooting an oil well.

A hole the size of a house was torn in the ground, and windows were broken and houses loosened from their foundations in Newark and Utica. Nothing except a small fragment of Tompkins' coat has been found. He leaves a wife and two small children.

It's strangely difficult to get on the right track at a racecourse.

NOT GUILTY, SAYS DIVINE

Richeson Will Face Murder Charge in January.

BAPTIST'S LAWYERS PREPARE DEFENSE

Will Fight Hard To Save Life of Their Client.

Those Who Watch and Hear Richeson Plead Declare Pastor Is Either Arch-Hypocrite of World or He Has Hidden from State Evidence That Without a Doubt Will Prove His Innocence.

Boston, Nov. 14.—Losing out in the first skirmish in the battle for the life of the Rev. Clarence V. T. Richeson, indicted for the murder of Avis Linnell, William A. Morse and P. R. Dunbar, counsel for the accused Baptist minister, today began the real work of preparing the defense.

Attorney Morse said that no further effort would be made at this time to postpone the trial. Morse is anxious to hold an early conference of counsel and called John L. Lee, Virginia criminal lawyer, by long-distance telephone today to learn when the southern attorney can come here and take active charge of the trial. Richeson will make the fight for his life beginning Monday, January 15.

Richeson was arraigned late yesterday afternoon amid dramatic scenes such as have marked the life of the young pastor ever since the body of Avis Linnell was found lifeless in her rooms at the Y. W. C. A.

Long before 4 o'clock, the time set for the arraignment, the courtroom was crowded to the doors.

Judge Sanderson, before calling upon the young minister to answer to his indictment, disposed of two burglars, a bigamist, a frightened little Italian woman charged with manslaughter, a "broken paroler," a wife beater and twelve men charged with conspiracy to defraud a railroad.

Pleads Not Guilty.

And then, just after a young Russian accused of attacking a child had pleaded, the youthful pastor walked to the dock.

Richeson seemed to care little for the staring faces of the crowd, but stepped firmly and steadily into the "cage." His head was held high during the fifteen minutes it took to read the five counts in the indictments. The awful charges made against him seemed to affect him not *in the least, and he stood patiently* waiting until the clerk had finished droning out the charges. The answer to Clerk Manning's question came clearly and unfalteringly "not guilty."

The divine pronounced the words earnestly, but court officials and attorneys remarked that every act of the prisoner was natural. In the buzz of conversation which followed the dismissal of court, those who had watched and heard many another prisoner plead to an indictment told one another that the pastor either was the arch-hypocrite of the world or he had hidden from the attorneys for the prosecution evidence which would prove without a doubt that he was innocent.

A SLEUTH KILLED CHASING THIEVES

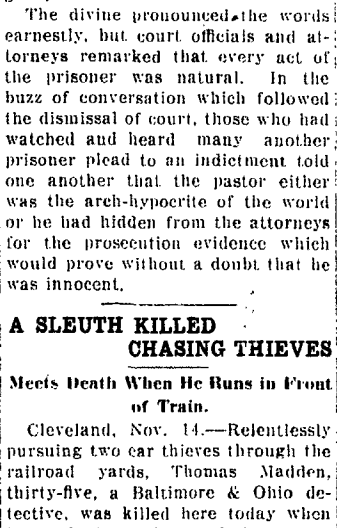
Meets Death When He Runs in Front of Train.

Cleveland, Nov. 14.—Relentlessly pursuing two car thieves through the railroad yards, Thomas Madden, thirty-five, a Baltimore & Ohio detective, was killed here today when he ran in front of a fast freight. Madden had just overtaken his men when they dashed in front of the train, Madden following.

AVIATOR RODGERS MUCH IMPROVED

Declares He Will Resume His Journey Soon.

Pasadena, Calif., Nov. 14.—Aviator Calbraith P. Rogers was so much improved today that his physicians said he would be up and



CALBRAITH P. RODGERS.

about again tomorrow. Rogers, who apparently has suffered no ill *effects from his 125-foot fall of* Sunday, today announced that he would finish his flight to the ocean as soon as his aeroplane could be rebuilt. He said he had no idea what had caused his fall.

ESTABLISHED BY FEDERAL COURT

Is Constitutionality of Long-and-Short-Haul Clause.

THE SPOKANE RATE CASE DECREE GIVEN

Inter-Mountain Cities Seem To Be Favored.

The Commerce Court Lays Much Stress on the Authority Under the Law To Grant Exceptions to Applications of the Long-and-Short-Haul Clause—How Western Cities Will Be Affected.

Washington, Nov. 14.—The constitutionality of the long and short haul clause of the act to regulate commerce of February 4, 1887, and as amended June 18, 1910, was established today in a decision of the United States commerce court. The written decision of the court in the Spokane rate case, made public today says in part:

"Insofar as the Interstate Commerce commission attempts to determine the relation of long and short haul rates, irrespective of absolute rates, it goes beyond any authority that has been vested in it, for it is not in the power of the commission to say that 100 per cent., 107 per cent., or any given percentage of an unknown less than reasonable rate to the coast is necessarysarily a maxium, reasonable, and non-discriminatory rate from the same point of origin to the interior point."

Though the decision enjoined the reduction in rates in inter-mountain cities, as ordered by the Interstate Commerce commission, the commission found much satisfaction in the upholding of the long and short haul clause. In this manner the specific case was set back, but the principle established was looked by some experts here today as favorable for the inter-mountain cities in respect to the final issue in the case. The court, as quoted, disagrees with the methods employed by the commission in determining the proper rate and in this regard it is expected that a thorough investigation will be made before the case is finally settled. The commission has always strongly suported the constitutionality of the long and short haul clause but has had some fear that there might eventually be an adverse decision upon it.

Clear Declaration.

The court laid much stress on the authority under the law to grant exceptions to the application of the long-and-shorthaul clause, and made a clear declaration of its belief that cities having water traffic are entitled to lower rates than where there is no water competition. In this connection, the commerce court today said:

"For example, as Seattle can get its supplies from New York by water *and Spokane, because of its location,* can not do so, Seattle can not be said to be unduly favored merely because the rail carrier, in order to meet the water competition, charges a lesser rate from New York to Seattle through Spokane than from New York to Spokane provided the Spokane rate is reasonable per se and the Seattle rate not unremunerative. And so, too, if the St. Paul-Seattle rate is reduced to a point less than reasonable per se, although not unremunerative, to meet the New York-Seattle rate in order to enable the St. Paul merchants to compete with New York merchants at Seattle, Spokane could not complain merely because this rate is made less than the St. Paul-Spokane rate. In each of these cases, Spokane is not unduly prejudiced because if the lower rail rate to Seattle were forbidden Seattle would nevertheless, by reason of its location, be able to secure its supplies by water and would therefore in the nature of things have this advantage over Spokane."

In summing up, the court said in part:

"The practical effort of the commission's order is either to compel a blanket from the entire East to the entire West or to prevent the carriers from getting all the business which they now secure without loss by making rates which enable the merchants to meet market competition."

The court issued an injunction forbidding the enforcement of the Interstate Commerce commission's order reducing the inter-mountain rates, "pending the final determination of the case."

GETS 13,000 VOLTS AND MAY RECOVER

Duluth Man Frightfully Burned, but Still Lives.

Duluth, Minn., Nov. 14—Although frightfully burned, physicians today believe that David Carlton, a wiper employed at the sub-station of the Great Northern Power company, may live, despite the 13,000 volt shock which he sustained yesterday. Carlton brushed against the main switch of the power plant and immediately was *held as in a vice,* a halo of red and green flame enveloping his body. When liberated, his entire chest and neck were black from the burns. Although suffering terribly, he was conscious today.

PUT BUSINESS WITHIN LAW

Taft Sounds Warning to the Business Men.

ANTI-TRUST LAW MUST BE ENFORCED

No Amendment to Sherman Act Necessary.

The Law Has Been on Statute Books for Twenty Years and Court Has Passed Upon It. Two Decisions Rendered Last Spring Giving Definite Meaning to Statute, Declares the President.

Washington, Nov. 14.—A piece of political strategy, designed to shift the battleground of the 1912 election from the slippery field of the tariff to the more solid ground of the enforcement of the anti-trust law, is being planned by Republican leaders, it became known here today.

It became apparent that every effort will be made to push the tariff troubles into the background. From now on an attempt will be made to make the Taft anti-trust record the issue in 1912. To that end the president will devote much space in his message to the anti-trust law. The tariff will be dismissed with the mere recommendations of the tariff board.

The president will endeavor to force an active discussion of the anti-trust law, which will be depended upon to place in the spotlight the Standard Oil, Tobacco, Steel trust, hardware trust, bath-tub trust, lumber trust, shoe machinery trust, and half a score of other trust suits.

Credit for all these will be claimed for Taft, and the president's speeches on the trip he has just concluded will be quoted to show his position.

President Is Firm.

The president is convinced that the anti-trust law should be enforced as it stands without amendment. His message will convey that sentiment to congress.

"The law has been on the statute books for twenty years," Taft says. "And at last has been construed by the supreme court. Two decisions rendered last spring give definite meaning to the statute. The business men of the country must square their business to these decisions and bring their business within the law."

In his message, the president will go farther, however, and will recommend a federal incorporation law, to give the government closer control of the integral parts of big trusts after they have been dissolved under the law. He will oppose, however, any incorporation scheme that would supplant the Sherman law.

COURT ALLOWS DIEGLE MOTION

A Bill of Exceptions Will Be Filed Soon.

IN INTERIM, DIEGLE IS GIVEN LIBERTY

Date for Argument of Case Is Not Yet Set.

Matter Will Be Pushed as Rapidly as Possible, as Prosecutor Turner Hopes for Early Decision So He Can Get into Other Bribery Cases. Precedent in Dictaphone Use May Be Established.

Columbus, O., Nov. 14.—Supreme court today allowed the motion of Rodney J. Diegle, senate sergeant-at-arms, under sentence of three years in the penitentiary for alleged complicity in bribery deals, to file a bill of exceptions to the ruling of circuit court.

The allowance of the motion carried with it a stay of execution of sentence of Diegle, which expired November 7. The date for argument of the case has not been set, but the matter will be pushed as rapidly as possible and Prosecutor Turner hopes for an early decision, so that he can get into the other dictaphone and other bribery cases.

Attorneys for the state refused to attach any significance to the action of the court, but said that in as much as the validity of dictaphone evidence had never been decided in the higher courts in Ohio, it was evident that the tribunal wanted to establish a precedent in both that and the question of entrapment by detectives.

Governor Put Off Car.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 14.—Governor Donaghey was put off a street car because he wanted his fare taken from a five-dollar-bill. The conductor refused and the governor says he is "going to find out" about it all.

Hetty Young as Ever.

New York, Nov. 14.—"Why, I could do a skirt dance in the moonlight now if I wanted to entertain you," asserted Hetty Green, when she said she was just as young and lively as ever.

CATHOLICS SING THEIR GODSPEED

As Archbishop Farley Sails Today for Rome.

FAREWELL MASS IS CELEBRATED

Five Thousand Children Attend Services.

Children, Dressed in White and Carrying American and Papal Flags, with Purple Coat of Arms, March to North River, Where Cardinal Takes Steamer for Big Liner on Which He Sails.

New York, Nov. 14.—The farewell mass celebrated today in honor of Archbishop Farley, of the dioces of New York, and cardinal-designate, who sailed for Rome on the Kronprinzessin Cecelie at 10 a. m., was one of the greatest outpourings in the history of the Catholic church in this city. At 8 o'clock 5,000 school children were gathered about the approaches to the cathedral. Dressed in white and carrying American flags and the papal colors, yellow and white, with the purple coat of arms, *the children formed a mass of color* that extended clear to North river.

At 8:30, Archbishop Farley, accompanied by Archbishop Diomede Falconio, also a cardinal-designate, left the archbishopric house and proceeded through the crowds to the cathedral. Delegates from every Catholic church in New York were present. Entire congregations were banked behind the children. No adults were admitted to the cathedral, which was filled entirely by the children, who preceded the prelates into the edifice. As the cardinals entered, the children rose, and waving their American and papal flags, sang: "Blessed Be the Faith of Our Fathers." Thousands outside the building took up the hymn as the voices of the children floated out upon the crisp morning air.

Visiting Prelates.

During the service, Archbishops Farley and Falconio were attended by a number of distinguished visiting prelates, among them Archbishop Pitival, of Santa Fe, and Bishop Farrelly, of Cleveland. Sixty priests and dignitaries of the church in New York also attended the archbishops.

At the close of the benediction the altar gates were thrown open and the children singing "God Bless Our Cardinal," passed down the center aisle. Archbishops Farley and Falconio bestowed blessings upon the *little ones.*

As the prelates entered their carriages to be driven to the North river, the immense crowd outside gave a mighty cheer.

Thousands followed the carriages to the pier.

With bared heads, men and women shouted their Godspeed to the churchmen, and the archbishops extended their blessings on all sides.

At the pier, the clerical party of forty embarked on the steamer, Rosedale, for Hoboken, where they boarded the liner.

Several thousand Catholics had chartered other steamers which accompanied the Rosedale to the Hamburg-American docks and later accompanied the Cecelie down the bay.

M'LEAN AND HEARST TO FIGHT GOVERNOR

Harmon Will Have Opposition for the Presidency.

Columbus, O., Nov. 14.—In the Democratic camp, preparations are going forward to fight Governor Harmon. The latest information, apparently authentic, is that John R. McLean, owner of the Cincinnati Enquirer, and William Randolph Hearst, publisher of many newspapers, will join hands with anti-Harmon men in Ohio in an effort to send an Anti-Harmon delegation to the Democratic national convention. Hearst and McLean, according to report, have had numerous conferences on the subject and have decided, as a starter, to be for Champ Clark, of Missouri, for the Democratic nomination. In the end, they may switch to Hearst.

It is said that the anti-Harmon movement will be given impetus in Ohio within the next ten days or two weeks.

MEET DEATH AS THEIR WEDDING HOUR NEARS

Young Chicago Couple Killed While Inspecting New Home.

Chicago, Nov. 14.—At the very hour set for their wedding today, the bodies of Stella Gara, twenty-one, and Frank Micek, twenty-two, asphyxiated by gas in their new home, were removed to the morgue just across the street from the church in which they had arranged to be wedded. As their bodies were removed, the strains of the wedding march, played for a couple who had planned to be married with Miss Gera and Micek, could be heard in the morgue building. The couple went to look at their new home last night.

The police think the asphyxiation was accidental.

Many like just a suggestion of onion in mayonnaise or other salad dressing. This may be brought about by putting just a tiny piece of onion in the vinegar crock.

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